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OUTLINES.

Emanuel Cedrino, the noted Italian automobilist, was thrown from his machine in Pimlico park and instantly killed yesterday——Congress yesterday was waiting on the Senate passing the compromise currency bill. Senator LaFollette undertook to speak the measure to death. The House finally took a recess until today and the Senate adjourned until that time ——There are reports of serious damage from a severe storm in the Morehead section yesterday morning. The wires are down, so accurate news could not be had——In Washington and New York indictments were found yesterday against Theodore H. Price, Frederick A. Peckham and Moses Haas of New York and E. S. Holmes, Jr., of Washington, charging participation in the government cotton crop report leaks. In 1905——Ack Hale, on trial at Bristol, Tenn., for the murder of his sweetheart, was yesterday convicted of murder in the first degree ——New York markets: Cotton quiet, middling uplands 11.40; middling gulf 11.65. Flour dull and barely steady. Corn easy, No. 2, 98c elevator. Oats steady, mixed 54. Rosin steady. Turpentine easy at 44c. Money on call easy 1 1-2 to 1 3-4, ruling rate 1 3-4.

"Apollinaris" is now the countersign for the Governors of the two Carolinas.

The Newbern Sun thinks the waterwagon which came down the pike last Tuesday was a racing automobile.

Did Charlotte and Greensboro think they could allay existing rivalry by both joining the same baseball league?

Mr. LaFollette seems to be the unknown quantity in the Senate which keeps the Nation in a state of suspense.

Wonder how recent proceedings in Congress appear to Senator Tillman from the long distance viewpoint of across the Atlantic?

Some people still think that Mrs. Gunness is alive notwithstanding that her jawbone was found underground in that LaPorte farm yard.

If anything, the Democrats in the House of Representatives out-buncombed the Republicans over that Crumpacker amendment.

A Carnegie medal has been found in a pawn shop. Mr. Carnegie ought to establish a fund for redeeming his medals which holders are forced to put in hock.

It looks like there may be a contest for the nomination for Lieutenant Governor. We see the name of Mr. W. C. Dowd, of Charlotte, mentioned for the place.

That Atlantic City preacher who allows men in his congregation to smoke during services must be preparing them for what they are to expect in the life to come.

We have a notion that not many people will be fooled by that plan of planting cotton for the express purpose of plowing it up just to keep others from planting too big a crop.

The State Democratic Convention is less than a month off. A big and exciting meeting it is going to be, too. It is predicted that there will be more than a thousand visitors beside the delegates in Charlotte at the time.

Wu-Ting-Fang says a good man obeys his wife from choice. Does he class as bad all those who obey because they are afraid not to do so? Then he must think there are a great many more bad than good married men.

Wonder if Mr. Bryan will accuse Mr. Taft of stealing his plan to have the "two leading candidates" urge the passage of a campaign contributions publicity bill? If so he will have to admit the latter to be an expert mind reader.

We do not suppose Mr. Debs is losing much sleep over the preparation of his inaugural address. Mr. Roosevelt has, probably, already jotted down the outlines of Mr. Taft's, and Mr. Bryan, no doubt, contemplates the easy task of only changing to suit the times the one he prepared for the inauguration ceremonies in 1897, but did not have occasion to use at that time.

At the Bijou Today.

The films at the Bijou today will be one picturing life in Chang Shu, China, and another entitled "Don't Pull My Leg," the latter being a first-class comedy offering. Both are special films and are put on for the increased crowds at the popular theatre on Saturday. The illustrated song will be "Mary Lane."

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Week-end dance at Lumina tonight.
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INCREASE TAX RATE

Library of Congress

Board of Aldermen and Board of Audit and Finance In Conference.

JUMPS FROM $1.40 TO $1.60

This to take Care of Budget of Expenses of City For Ensuing Fiscal Year—Appropriations Amount to $227,000.

The Board of Aldermen and Board of Audit and Finance in cnference last night in the Mayor's office at the City Hall, agreed upon the appropriations for the various departments of the city government for the fiscal year ensuing June 1st, and the agreement as reached will be officially ratified by the Board of Audit and Finance at its meeting to be held on Tuesday night of next week.

While the appropriations for the various departments are about $9,000 less than last year, the estimated revenue of the city to meet these appropriations for next year is much less than the previous year on account of the elimination of the liquor tax after January 1st and the loss in this revenue accruing from the number of dealers who are expected to drop out from time to time between now and the first of January. It is estimated that the loss of revenue for the first five months after January 1st and in the number of dealers who will drop out in the meantime will be $20,000 and to meet this deficit, the Boards agreed upon an increase of the property tax rate from $1.40 to $1.60 on the $100 valuation. There will be no increase of the poll tax rate as under the recent decision of the Supreme Court this tax is now at the limit. The increase is now subject only to the ratification of the Board of Audit and Finance and the amount will have to be paid on property listed for taxation June 1st.

In the budget of expenses as agreed upon last night the appropriation for all departments amount to $227,203 against $236,115 last year. The revenue for this year as shown from collections on the tax book is $231,000 with what is yet to be collected between now and June 1st. If the revenue is the same next year from all other sources, the elimination of the liquor tax would reduce this amount to $211,000 to meet appropriations of $227,000 as stated. With this proposition to face after completeing the budget, the Aldermen and members of the Board of Audit and Finance discussed the question of the deficit in the revenue and various rates of increase wre suggested ranging from $1.45 to $1.60. After making a computation from the tax books, a majority of the two boards were of the opinion that if the budget is to be provided for, the rate must be $1.60 and a motion to that effect prevailed all the Aldermen voting in the affirmative except Mr. Wood, who said that he was under the impression that not more than $1.40 could be collected according to law. He favored scaling the appropriation even lower than they had been scaled from last year, by eliminating the purchase of extra fire apparatus, but the Aldermen were of the opinion that the need of this apparatus is imperative and would not consent to an impairment of the department's efficiency. Soon after increasing the rate to $1.60 the Board adjourned. The rate was $1.50 per $100 valuation until last year when it was decreased to $1.40 on account of the increased valuations placed on property by the assessing board. It was hoped by many of the Aldermen that it would not be necessary to go beyond last year's rate, but after a full discussion of the subject, the Board went 10 cents beyond that.

The budget as agreed upon is practically the same as the Aldermen agreed upon at their conference ten days ago, except in the matter of the increase of wages and salaries, this being alone in the province of the Board of Audit and Finance, the Aldermen only recommending the increases. Under head of Streets and Wharves $10,000 is appropriated for street repairs against $11,800 last year and $1,000 is added for repairs to carts and for new teams in the street department. Under head of Fire Department, provision is made for the purchase of one new fire engine to take the place of one condemned a few days ago; there is an appropriation of $750 for a new combination hose and chemical engine wagon for use in the outlying districts and provision is made for the renewal of hose. Under head of Sanitary, Chairman Ellis is granted an appropriation of $10,000 for the beginning of the drainage of Macombor's ditch. There is a decrease in other items to take care of this in part.

Under head of street lighting, the oil lamps are dispensed with and replaced by Tunstan electrics and gas lights. The number of arc lights is increased from 117 to 150 to get the advantage of a reduced rate. Chairman Northrop was exceedingly fortunate in this respect.

The appropriation for small pox was decreased from $2,000 to $500 and retrenchment was adopted in several other lines to bring the budget down to a minimum.

Under head of Public Buildings, Chairman Jewell secured an appropriation for overhauling the city prison at police headquarters, which is imperative from a sanitary point of view.

Other changes in the budget are of no consequence. The tax ordinance was adopted with the change in the ad valorem tax as noted and a few minor changes that have already been noted.

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SCHOOL ENTERTAINMENT

Pupils of Miss Mary L. Alderman Gave Delightful Production at Academy of Music Last Night—Class Distinctions.

A crowded house last night greeted the Sunbeam Club of Miss Alderman's Select School for the presentation of its annual play and entertainment and all were charmed with the delightful success of the production, which was for the benefit of the piano fund of the institution. The audience was kept in an uproar of applause almost during the entire action of the plays given.

As a curtain raiser so to speak Master Isaac Bear Newman delivered in manly fashion a salutatory, followed by a chorus, "My Little Lassoo" by cowgirls and cowboys in prairie costums as follows: Misses Blanche Penny, Ruth Hopkins, Louise Klander, Fannie Branch, Fannie Linder, Lillian Swann, Varina Yopp, Lula Edens Mary Eve Carpenter, and John Clowe, Herbert Chadwick, Will Perry, Frank Brittain, Leslie Meredith, Will Evans, Heiskell Gouveneur, Joe Nathan Haywood Bray, Herndon Jewell, Earl Penny and Owen Fillyaw.

The play was interspersed with pleasing specialties by Marion Summerell and William Penny, both of which were exceedingly clever. The play "My Cousin Timmy" was put on by a splendid cast from among the junior and senior students of the school as follows: Misses Bertha Alderny, Mamie Lossen; Bonnie Hollana, Ruth Hopkins; Fudge Teeby, Laura Carpenter; Rita Garland, Lula Edens; Stella Wayburn, Frances Shannon; Millie Jane, Blanche Penny; Mollie Spooner, Flossie Robbins; Jonas Sharker, Lee Johnson; Maggie, the Maid, Mary Eve Carpenter; Professor Timothy Addles, Will Evans; Other Pupils, Beulah Brock, Louise Klander, Rosette Shannon, Lillian Swann.

The play was very cleverly produced by each and every member of the cast. This was followed by the "Reception of Mother Goose," by the smaller pupils, the cast having been as follows: Mother Goose, Lucile McCracken; Old King Cole, Tom Wood; Fiddlers, Willie Turner, Geo. Frederick and Dewey Davis; Old Mother Hubbard, Flossie Robbins; Daffy Down Dilly, Mary Garvey; Little Boy Blue, Tom Farmer; Little Bopeep, Elise Cronly; Old Folks Who Went Shearing, Beulah Brock, Willie Berry; Miss Muffet, Carrie Carter; Simple Simon, Lee Johnson; The Beggars, Flossie Robins, Ruth Hopkins, Fannie Branch, Fannie Linder; To Market, Austin Sykes; A Dillar, A Dollar, Carlotta Sykes; Bachelor and Wife, Mike Newman and Marion Summerell; Mary, Quite Contrary, Sophia McRacken; Jack Be Nimble, James Farmer; Little Jack Horner, James Simmons; Jack and Jill, Jordie Branch, and Lillie Truelove; The Priest, Hugh Bell; Pianist, Miss Julia McLauren.

During the evening the following school distinctions for the year were announced:

The highest average for the year in the whole school was won by Bessie Toon whose average was 99.8.

Scholarship medal for first class was won by Augusta Gieschen, whose average was 99.6.

Scholarship medal for second class was won by Bessie Toon.

Lucille McRacken, Hazel Banck and Carrie Westbrook, each attained an average of 99. Lucille McRacken and Hazel Banck have not been absent nor tardy a single day.

Excelsior medals were won by Luther Toon and Elise Cronly, each having an average of 97.5.

In the primary class Carrie Carter won the excelsior medal and in the "little folks'" class Sophie McRacken won the scholarship medal. She has never been late nor absent and has received 100 in deportment for the year.

Spelling prizes were won by MacK. Wilson and Willie McLurner.

Luther Toon of all the students secured the most votes for gentlemanly conduct and neatness.

Death at The Beach.

Friends of Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Land, of Hamlet, will sympathize with them in the death of their infant son, seven months old, which occurred yesterday morning at the Hotel Tarrymoore, Wrightsville Beach, whither the little one had been brought a few days ago with the hope the climate would benefit his health. The remains were taken on the 3 o'clock train yesterday afternoon to Rockingham, N. C., for interment.

NEWS FROM RALEIGH

Fourteen Opinions Delivered Preparatory to Adjournment of Supreme Court This Week.

GOVERNOR HEARS PARDONS

Several Granted and a Number Refused—Other General Items—The State Prohibition Majority.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Raleigh, N. C., May 29.—The official vote from fifty-eight counties in the recent State prohibition election have been received here and presuming that the unofficial returns from the other forty are practically correct, it would seem that the majority for State prohibition is about 43,442.

On this basis prohibition received 114,022 votes and anti-prohibition 70,580. It appears that there is a heavy falling off in the prohibition election vote in practically all the counties west of Raleigh and middle and northern counties east while the southern border counties and the extreme east voted a strength that compares fairly well with the general election two years ago.

Commissions are issued to O. B. Wynne, as captain; J. F. Ross, first lieutenant and R. B. Crowell second lieutenant Company G., Second Infantry, North Carolina Guard, Washington, N. C.

C. W. Hyams, at one time a professor in the Agricultural and Mechanical College, but later a resident of Mecklenburg county, was granted a pardon today by Governor Glenn after serving about six months of a twelve months sentence on the Mecklenburg roads for larceny of law books from a number of law offices in Charlotte. In his statement of reason for the pardon the Governor says the prisoner had borne a good character and was under the influence of some drug when he fell into bad habits.

He says the principal prosecutor, the solicitor, the trial judge and many citizens of Mecklenburg urge that the pardon be granted. This is done to give the man another chance, the pardon being conditioned on good behavior.

Amzie Helms, also of Mecklenburg is pardoned after serving half a twelve months sentence for killing his sweetheart. The Governor says the prisoner and the deceased were lovers and he is convinced that the killing was purely accidental and that the trial judge must have thought this else he would have given a longer sentence. The mother of the girl killed, the county officers and many citizens join in asking the pardon. He says the young man was evidently guilty of no intentional wrong and had borne a fine character.

Three other pardons were granted Joseph Dudley serving three years on the Bertie county farm for criminal relations with a child, is pardoned on the ground that newly discovered evidence indicates that the man was not guilty.

Jack Palmer, serving three years for breaking into a store house in Wilson county, is pardoned because he has contracted tuberculosis and it is believed imprisonment will kill him.

George Rhyne, serving a sentence in Gaston county, for stealing bottles of coca-cola is pardoned because he bore a good character, has been a model prisoner and the pardon is urged by many citizens. Nine other applications for pardons are refused by the Governor.

Fourteen opinions were delivered this evening in the Supreme Court and final delivery and adjournment of the term will be reached Monday. Opinions delivered were as follows: Campbell vs. Crouley, New Hanover, remanded to end that alleged purchaser be made party, Justice Walker not sitting; Commissioner of Pitt county vs. McDonald, affirmed as modified in opinion; Battle vs. Lewis, Wake, affirmed; Hollowell vs. Borden, Wayne, reversed; Martin vs. Seaboard Air Line Railway, Mecklenburg, no error; Victor vs. Louise Cotton Mills, Mecklenburg, reversed; Victor vs. Mfg. Co., Mecklenburg, reversed; Cottrell vs. Town of Lenoir, affirmed; Chamberlain vs. Torgreen, Wilkes, affirmed; Furniture Co., vs. Express Co., Caldwell, new trial; Church vs. Dula, Caldwell, reversed; Furniture Co., vs. Express Co., Caldwell, new trial; Beach vs. R. R. Company, Burke, two cases, reversed in both; Wrenn vs. Morgan, McDowell, new trial; Commissioners vs. Webb, Buncombe, reversed.

In Commisioners vs. McDonald, from Pitt, involving bonds for the Eastern Carolina Training School, Greenville, issued by Pitt county, the court holds that while in the former opinion the court ruled that the bonds are valid the court would not make a ruling that a tax in excess of the constitutional limitation could be made to pay the interest and principal as no provision to this effect was conveyed by the Legislature in passing the act under which the bonds are issued.

It is understood this ruling will in no way interfere with the sale of the bonds and the erection of the school buildings as other arrangements can be made for caring for interest and principal.

In the case of Hollowell vs. Borden, Wayne, the court holds that the bonds for erecting a school house are not valid unless submitted to a vote of the people.

In Victor vs. Louise Mills, Mecklenburg, the court holds it is illegal for a corporation to use funds for insurance of the lives of its officials.

SOLDIERS BEGIN MOVING

Advance Guard of Several Companies Arrived Yesterday on Way to Fort Caswell—Movement of the Troops Monday.

The advance detail from seven of the fourteen companies of the National Guard which will participate in the sea coast defense maneuvres at Fort Caswell next week, forming a provisional regiment under command of Lieutenant Colonel J. VanB. Metts, of this city, reached the city yesterday morning and immediately went down to the fort to have everything in readiness for the arrival of the troops on Monday.

Other advance details arrived last evening and with the detail from the Wilmington Light Infantry, of this city, will go down this morning. The detail from the W. L. I. is composed of Quartermaster Sergeant Z. T. Bell, Privates Ruark and Taylor. The last drill and meeting was held last night and only 44 men gave positive assurance that they could go. There are still six employers who have not as yet given their consent for their employes to leave for this important duty and the situation is very embarassing for Capt. Robertson, who is especially anxious for the "home company" to make a good showing at the home fort. The officers of the company have done all in their power to this end and it is up to these employers. The government regulations require 50 men and if the Wilmington Light Infantry is debarred from participating in these maneuvers because of the required strength the burden will be upon others than the officers of the command.

Col. Metts is very busy in arranging for all the details of the movement of the troops from this city. They will begin arriving by companies on Monday and Capt. John W. Harper, of the steamer Wilmington, has the contract for the transportation from this city. The companies from Salisbury, Lexington, Greensboro, Durham and Reidsville Hospital Corps will arrive on a special over the Coast Line at 3 P. M.; Henderson, Raleigh, Charlotte and the Third Regiment Band of Raleigh, will reach here over the Seaboard Air Line at 1:30 P. M.; Edenton, Washington and Kinston will arrive on a special over the Wilmington & Newbern road at 7:30 and Clinton and the two Goldsboro companies will arrive either on Monday morning's regular train or a special.

Further details of the movement and the placing of the troops at Fort Caswell will be announced today and tomorrow.

NEWS OF LEAGUE TEAM.

Rattlers Defeated Yesterday—Game With Caswell Today—Outlook.

The Wilmington Eastern Leaguers defeated the Rattlers of the City Baseball League at the new park yesterday afternoon by a score of 4 to 2. It was a very good exhibition and gave the men of the professional team some good practice. The Wilmington bunch will line up against Fort Caswell again today. The soldiers have strengthened their team considerably and will bring along a pitcher who is said to be a wonder. They promise to give Manager Shannon's contingent a much harder run for their money than at the game Wednesday.

"Jack" Hoey, Shannon's crack first baseman, arrived in the city last night. The big fellow is from the Union League and will make good every inch of him. Shannon received a telegram yesterday from Bert Kite, the other Wilmington catcher, saying he would leave Philadelphia Monday, thus enabling him to participate in Wednesday's game against the City Leaguers.

Mr. Albert L. Baker, who recently presented the opera "Powhatan" with so much success at the Academy of Music, arrived in the city yesterday from Newbern and is arranging for a repetition of the opera at the Casino, on Wrightsville Beach, for the baseball benefit. Dates and other information will be given later.

WEEKLY TRAP SHOOT.

Col. Anthony and Mr. Knight Guests of Club—Dupont Trophy.

The Wilmington Gun Club for its weekly trap shoot yesterday afternoon had as its guests Col. J. T. Authony, of Charlotte, representing the U. M. C. Co., and Mr. C. M. Knight, of the Winchester Arms Company. Senator Empie and Mr. L. J. Merriman had their turn at the targets for the Dupont trophy, the former making 32-50 and the latter 50-75. Other scores were as follows: Harriss 81-125, Truelove 46-100, Taylor 58-100, Anthony 72-100, Littig 69-100, Knight 55-100, Stokley 74-100, Penny 57-100, Dreher 78-100, Holmes 44-75, Boylin 70-100, Carr 29-50, J. W. Murchison & Co., 17-25, Jacobi Hdw. Co., 11-25. The weather conditions were not favorable to the shoot and the scores are nothing extra.

HARDWARE DEALERS

Association of Carolinas Will Meet at Wrightsville Beach Second Week in July.

TO ENTERTAIN VISITORS

Meeting of Local Merchants Yesterday to Make Arrangements For Entertainment of Guests—The Programme.

An enthusiastic meeting of local hardware merchants, mill supply dealers and machine shop men was held yesterday at the office of the Hyman Supply Company for the purpose of making all arrangements for the annual convention of the Retail Hardware Dealers' Association of the Carolinas to be held at the Seashore Hotel, Wrightsville Beach, the three days ensuing Tuesday, July 8th.

An executive committee was appointed to be composed of the following: Joseph N. Jacobi, chairman; W. E. Perdew and B. R. Hoshall. This committee will make all arrangements for the entertainment of the visitors. There will not only be a large number of members of the Association present but a great many manufacturers and agents will be present to make exhibits of their lines. Several hundred prominent men from several States will be in attendance upon the meeting.

The first session will be held Tuesday morning, July 8th, at 10 o'clock in the Seashore Hotel assembly room with opening remarks by President W. N. Everett, of Rockingham, N. C. "America" will be sung as an opening song, after which Hon. William E. Springer, mayor of Wilmington, will deliver the address of welcome. The response will be by Mr. E. Walker Duvall, of Cheraw, S. C. Preceding short talks by guests and members, Mr. W. M. Otis, manager of the Columbia Lumber & Manufacturing Co., will discuss "How Best to Get Legislation Through."

This will be followed by the opening of the question box, the enrollment of new members, etc., with adjournment at 12 o'clock for a reception and introduction of delegates and members. The afternoon will be given entirely to examining exhibits in the auditorium of the hotel.

Tuesday night at 8 o'clock, the Association will listen with pleasure to an address, "Hardware Advertising" by Mr. R. D. Baldwin, of Fitchburg, Mass., advertising manager of the Simonds Manufacturing Co., and a member of the Boston Ad. Men's Club.

Wednesday morning at 9 o'clock there will be a boat excursion to points of interest around Wilmington, the fort and government works, luncheon being served on the boat. At 11 o'clock there will be an executive session with the reports of the secretary and treasurer and standing committees.

In the afternoon at 3 o'clock there will be another open session at the Seashore Hotel when payment of dues will be in order and new members will be enrolled. Then will follow interesting addresses by Mr. T. W. Dixon, manager of the Southern Hardware Co., of Charlotte, on "How to Get Best Results From Our Clerks," and by Mr. W. P. Lewis, of the National Hardware Mutual Fire Insurance Co., on "Hardware Mutual Fire Insurance." Each of these papers will be followed by a general discussion, opening of question box and adjournment at 5 P. M.

Thursday morning the session will open at 9 o'clock with the enrollment of new members and reports of committees. The feature of the morning session will be an address by Mr. M. L. Coreay, secretary of the National Retail Hardware Association, of Argos, Ind., on the subject of "Parcels Post and the Retailer." This will be followed by the question box, election of officers, selection of next place of business, unfinished business and adjournment. At 9 o'clock at night there will be an elaborate banquet at the Seashore Hotel.

The officers of the Association are: President, W. N. Everett, of Rockingham; Vice Presidents, E. Walker Duvall, Cheraw, S. C.; R. H. McDuffie, Fayetteville, N. C.; W. H. Smith, Gaffney, S. C.; Secretary and Treasurer, Paul W. McClure, Greenwood, S. C.; Executive Committee, W. H. Jones, Abbeville, S. C., Fred S. Smyre, W. H. Jones, and the officers above named.

Wilmington will be glad to welcome this distinguished body of men to the beach and hopes that their sojourn will be pleasant and profitable.

Excursion On Tuesday Night.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the Tabernacle Christian Church are planning to run a delightful moonlight excursion on next Tuesday week evening when all friends will be welcome. The proceeds of the excursion will be for the building fund of the new church.

Lumina.

Music and dancing at Lumina every afternoon and evening. Cars every half hour from 1 to 11 P. M.
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THE CRUMPACKER BILL.

"Some Southern Democrats blame Congressman Williams, of Mississippi, the Democratic leader in the National House of Representatives, for the enactment by the House of the bill to cut down Southern representation in the United States Government.

"The Southern members and others hold that if Mr. Williams had been wholly subservient to the Republican majority, the South would have fared much better, and got more benefits.

"It seems to be a growing idea in the South that the National Treasury is stuffed full of money, and the South's business in the Union is to get as much of it as possible.

"Therefore the South must not talk about rights, but must bend and cringe to the Republican majority so that it may thereby get as much of the Federal bounty as the dominant powers can be persuaded to give. Neither self-respect nor personal pride are to be considered. We must go as beggars and be thankful for the crumbs that are tossed to us. The idea is that the only humilation is to be poor. If one is rich, that fact covers all defects and dishonor. Mr. Williams is not of that sort. He is a grand Southern knight."—New Orleans Picayune.

Can it be possible that the Picayune is right in saying that there are some people at the South who put the responsibility on Mr. Williams for the passage of the Crumpacker bill? that there are men who think he, when he saw the possibility of the passage of such a measure by the House of Representatives, should have cringed to the majority and have shown a willingness to do its bidding if it would not pass the measure and would also agree to increase the amount of appropriations from the federal treasury for public works at the South? Are there men in the South who contend that such is the course the minority in Congress should pursue?

In our opinion the only mistake Mr. Wiliams and his followers made was to give so much attention to the matter. In so doing they were playing into the hands of the advocates of the Crumpacker bill. They helped the latter advertise the affair throughout the North and to more forcibly call it to the attention of the negro voters of certain Northern States. A simple protest against the bill with a solid vote against it would have been the better course. That would have minimized the importance of the movement and the Crumpacker crowd would have been deprived of much campaign thunder greatly needed in certain quarters. The Democrats of the House who spoke so vehemently and so dramatically against the measure hardly believed it would pass the Senate. They knew nothing they could do would prevent the House adopting it. Even if there is probability of the Senate approving the measure what good did such Democratic action in the House do? Its only effect was, as we said above, to help the promoters of the scheme make political capital out of it among their negro constituents.

A SUGGESTION.

The Washington Post remarks that "the gentlemen who turn up their noses at the office of Vice President may be unaware that every man holding down that job is honored by having a marble bust of himself placed in the Senate chamber."

The Democracy of North Carolina may catch an inspiration from this "wayside remark" of the Post. Perhaps if it were made known that hereafter the same custom would be followed in the State capitol as to Lieutenant Governors there would not be so much trouble in securing a candidate for the office on the Democratic ticket. There is, as matters now stand, little honor and less pay attached to the office; but if it were known that the successful candidate would have a marble bust of himself placed in a niche in the State's capitol there would be no difficulty in securing a plenty of names to choose from, with the understanding always, of course, that the cost of securing the said bust was not to come out of the meagre salary of the occupant of the office, otherwise, the same objection might be raised that there is now to the Federal Government's attitude in a financial way toward its chief embassies in foreign capitals—that the expenses of the office far exceed the salaries and, therefore, the positions are not open to men of moderate means. We throw this out as a suggestion to the Democratic party with the hope that it will receive consideration at the State convention.

We know it will be considered very presumptuous in us to give the Washington Post a "call down" on anything which appears in its editorial columns, but in an editorial in its issue of Thursday last in reference to recent events in North Carolina it made such an error, geographically, so to speak, that we cannot help calling its attention to it. The paper refers to the "mountains of the eastern section and the piney woods of the middle and western counties." We people down this way do not call the sandhills on the seacoast mountains and did not know before that they were so classed by anyone, and we did not know that there were "piney woods" in the moutain regions of the west.

A minister of the Church of England was once given very short notice to officiate and preach a sermon at a service which was to be attended by Queen Victoria. He preached to the Queen for three quarters of an hour. After the service was over he apologized to her Majesty for preaching so legthily, his excuse being the short notice given him, saying that had he been given longer time for preparation he could have made the sermon much shorter. Aren't there a good many preachers of the present day and of all denominations who could take profitable lessons from this English clergyman's experience and theory as to preparing sermons?

The Star wishes to thank the News and Observer for its kind words contained in an editorial in yesterday's issue of that paper. The two papers differed a while back on a "side issue," but they will be found pulling together from now until November 3, as heretofore for Democratic supremacy in the State and Nation.

Ex-Senator David B. Hill is going abroad. We suppose he will not think it necessary to take along with him that badge he usually wears in this country, according to the cartoonists, "I am a Democrat."

CURRENT COMMENT.

—"Let us have peace; let us bury the bitterness and misunderstandings of the campaign and go to work to build up the State in other directions. Don t cherish prejudice against you neighbor who disagreed with you; don't waste time crowing over a victory, but get to work at something else and bury whatever hard feelings were engendered in this contest at once and for all time.—Progressive Farmer.

—It is all over now, and after the first of January next year it will not be lawful to manufacture or sell whiskey in North Carolina. The majority was comfortable enough, and no matter which side you were on, you are no doubt glad it is all over. Until the election was over we were all divided into those for and against and indifferent; now it would be well to forget it. Which observation is prompted by the fact that some very silly and intemperate and small threats were openly made Tuesday because certain people saw fit to vote against the bill. Nothing can be lost ever for the cause you consider right by conceding that the man who does not think as you do is just as honest in his convictions as you are.—The Robesonian.

—The gubernatorial scramble in Georgia has been lively. This was expected. The race is between Smith and Brown, and aggressive men with these names naturally appeal to a great many voters who entertain a sympathy based upon a sentiment rising from the influence of nomenclature. These people who insist that there's nothing in a name should keep an eye on the Smith vs. Brown fight for political preferment in the good State of Georgia, which can always be relied on to develop as much political enthusiasm to the square inch as Kentucky could before so much of the State went on the water wagon. The fight in Georgia has reached the betting stage. Of course, this isn't expected to be so lively over there now that there's not so much inspiration on tap to induce the average active political worker to exaggerate the quality of his individual judgment and the trustworthiness of his estimate of human nature, whether it be Smithish or Brownish in its leaning. But the betting has started, and one of the leading daily newspapers of Atlanta announced recently that it is holding stakes. It is added that a wager of $1,000 against $500 that the Browns will carry Fulton county has been taken, and several of the Smiths have put up heavy wagers that their candidate will carry the state. It is going to be a vigorously contested fight, with the Smiths claiming the lead in numbers as well as in the fact that their man already enjoys the advantage of being in.—Birmingham Herald.

—For many years the Wilmington Star has been the best and brightest light in New Hanover section, shining clear and true in the days of Reconstruction and helping to rescue the State when Vance won the great fight in 1876, and its editor, Col. William H. Bernard, was in the thickest of the fight in 1894-1900, when Wilmington set a glorious example to the whole State in its defiance of Republican rule, the Star shone clearly. And now, when recent differences have caused some divisions among Democrats on the best way to manage the liquor problem, the Star again shines right. That paper opposed prohibition but it accepts the result with the spirit of philosophy and good citizenship, and yesterda had these two editorial paragraphs: "All Anti-Prohibitionists in the recent struggle should take their defeat like men and now go to work for the party." "We are all Democrats now and not divided on any side issue Let's get together and work for the success of the party. Former differences on side issues should not prevent unity for the party." Prohibition was in no sense a uarty question. Under the leadership of Governor Glenn many Democrats voted for prohibition. Under the leadership of Hon. C. B. Watson many voted against prohibition. Such Democratic papers as The Star opposed prohibition; such Democratic papers as the Charlotte News favored it. No attempt was made to say that one was less Democratic than the other. If prohibition had failed, the Charlotte News and the News and Observer would have written paragraphs of the same spirit as are quoted from The Star, because all three papers recognize that the only hope of good government and carrying out of the policies desired by the people is in Democratic success in North Carolina. It has so happened that after a close contest in New Hanover, the nominee for the Senate and the House both are against prohibition. But they are first of all Democrats who will be true to the mandate of the people. The Democrats who favored prohibition in New Hanover will support them just as Democrats who opposed prohibition will support other candidates who favored prohibition. The vote on Tuesday settled the liquor question and Democrats are now united for the principles and policies upon which they are agreed.—News and Observer.

TWINKLINGS.

—Hello, old man, how do you find business?" 'By advertising for it."—Houston Post.

—Customer—Have you an oil painting of John D. Rockefeller? Clerk—No, ma'am; no one has. He has never been done in oil.—Leslie's Weekly

—"What will happen when women get the ballot?" "That's easy answered." "Well?" "They won't want it!"—Louisville Courier-Journal.

—"She admits that he is fearfully ugly, but she says he is extremely sensible." "Did she tell her she was beautiful?'—Houston Post.

—"Water swells wood." "It must. I've often noticed that a novelist will wreck a skiff and then float enough timber on to the desert isle to build a town."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

—Museum Attendant—We cannot tell whether this mammal is one or several million years old. Old Gentleman—Hem! I see. Female of its species, eh?—Kansas City Times.

—"What business is Miss Gadie in?" "Oh, she's in everybody's business." "Wholesale, eh?" "Yes, except when it comes to a bit of scandal; she retails that."—Catholic Standard and Times.

—Uncle Henry, what is a sociologist?" "A sociologist, my boy, is a person who can inspect a garbage can and find enough material in it for a long lecture on the needs of society."—Chicago Tribune.

—The Man—I'd give anything if you would kiss me. The maid—But the scientists say that kisses breed diseases. The Man—Oh, never mind that. Go ahead, and make me an invalid for life.—Philadelphia Inquirer.

—"I wonder why the seasons are always pictured as women?" queried Mrs. Naggs, who was doing an art exhibit in company with her husband. "I suppose,' replied Naggs, "It's because men are never satisfied with them no matter what kind they get."—The Wasp.

—The art photagrapher had visited the farm. "I want to make an exhaustive study of this particular bit of landscape," he said, "and would like to have your hired man retain his present position on the fence there. Can he sit still?" "For days at a time," replied the farmer.'—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

—Miss Gadie.—Mr. Bragley is getting to be quite an enthusiastic golf player now. Mr. Wise—Yes, but he's worrying a good deal because he's so small. Miss Gaddie—Afraid he'd never get to be an expert? Mr. Wise—O! no. He's afraid there won't be room enough on him for all the medals he's going to win.—Philadelphia Press.

Tolerance in Japan.

Westerners seem to find it inconceivable how the Japanese can maintain allegiance to different creeds at one and the same time. One broad explanation of this is that we as a nation are tolerant in mind, especially in matters pertaining to religion.—Japan Times of Tokyo.

The Wrong Jam.

Haskell—What's Bobby crying for? Mrs. Haskell—Oh, the poor boy caught his finger in the pantry door. Haskell—H'm! He evidently didn't get the jam he was looking for that time.—Pick-Me-Up.

Getting Back at Him.

Hewitt—I got even with the doctor who vaccinated me. Jewett—How did you do it? Hewitt—He ran for office, and I scratched him.

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All In the Family.

By LILLIE WIEDEEN.

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That Luke Fallon was superintendent of the G. and B. S. was not to argue greatness. The little branch road from Greenville to Bay Shore was but forty miles in length and important only in the summer season, when the trunk line to which it was a feeder loaned it another engine, and there were two trains a day each way for the benefit of the boarders at summer cottages on Bay Point and the guests at the big hotel on the shore.

Fallon was also station master, baggage and express agent and the entire executive force of the road, most of which was owned by stockholders in the L. and V., the trunk line. Sadie Fallon was ticket agent and train dispatcher, and Martin Redway was not only engineer of the one locomotive, but was master mechanic, superintendent of rolling stock and most of the things that Fallon was not. Almost every one was more than one officer on the G. and B. S. with the exception of Willie Farrell, who was station agent at Farrell's. He was just station agent of the little flag stop, the "station" being a well mown patch of grass beside the track in summer and a well shoveled place in the snow in the winter season. The lawn mower and the snow shovel were Willie's only tools of trade, but he bore his dignity as seriously as did those who held a multiplicity of offices. Most of the employees of the road made up in dignity what they lacked in importance.

Then came the strike. Redway lounged into the little station at the shore end of the run, while his fireman took the engine down to the one stall roundhouse. Fallon looked up at his approach.

"What's the news down to Greenville?" he demanded as he reached out

"IT'S ALL RIGHT, MART!" SHE CALLED.

a gnarled hand for the train messages Redway had brought.

"Nothing much," said Redway indolently. "I s'pose you heard that there was a big strike out west?"

"I was informed of that fact," said Fallon, with dignity. "There will be no trouble this side of Chicago."

"I was calculating to get out that way this fall," said Redway, with an assumption of carelessness that his twitching lips belied. "Sadie and I was talking it over. She wants to see the Yellowstone park on her wedding trip."

"Sadie and you?" retorted Fallon. "And since when have you and Sadie had it all fixed to get married? 'Pears to me that her pa ought to have something to say about it."

"This is where you say," explained Redway. "We fixed it up last night, but I didn't have time to talk to you this morning. The engine needed some fixin' up."

"Well, I say 'No!'" was the decided response. "I guess Sadie can do better than an engineer when she wants to get married."

"I'm master mechanic, too," reminded Redway hopefully.

"Sadie can do better," repeated Fallon as he rose to put some papers in the safe. "Don't let me hear any more of this."

Redway sat in silence until the safe was locked and the lights put out; then he followed Fallon out on the platform. "Better think it over," he advised. "I'll ask you again in the morning."

Redway turned away down one of the almost deserted streets, and Fallon stamped angrily in the opposite direction.

Not even Sadie realized how proud her father was of his position as superintendent even of such an unimportant road as the G. and B. S. That the daughter of the superintendent should be asked to wed a common engineer was a thing not to be heard of. He had no talk with Sadie on the matter, but as he lay in bed thinking it over his anger grew, and he became more firm in his determination not to give his consent.

He was at the station early in the morning, affecting not to notice how red Sadie's eyes were from weeping. As soon as Redway stuck his head into the general office Fallon began:

"You needn't come in," he rasped out. "My mind ain't any different from what it was last night."

Redway grinned and withdrew, shutting the door. Fallon fidgeted at the desk, making a feeble pretense of working, but when the hands of the clock drew around to 8 and the engine had not puffed down the track to couple to the train Fallon went out on the platform.

Redway was sitting on the baggage truck puffing at his cigar. Several passengers paced the platform, and both of the day coaches were about half filled.

"Where's the engine?" demanded Fallon. Redway moved his cigar that he might grin the broader.

"I'm on a strike," he explained. "The engine's in the house."

"Strike!" shouted Fallon. "What you strikin' about? You had a raise last spring!"

"It's not about money," explained the engineer. "I saw Sadie last night, and she says she won't marry me until you say she can. I'm on strike until you give the 'go ahead' order."

Fallon glared impotently. There was no one else in town who could run an engine except Sim Dugan, who fired for Redway. Sim was sitting on the truck by his boss and only smiled pleasantly when Fallon offered him double and even triple pay to take the train out. Some of the passengers crowded about to watch the fun, and in the end the superintendent beat a retreat to his office, where presently he wired to Greenville for help.

But Greenville was unsympathetic. Something of Redway's plan the office knew, and Fallon's pompousness had not made friends for him. Greenville declared flatly that they could spare neither engine nor engineer, and when the division headquarters was appealed to Fallon was told to settle the matter himself. In theory the G. and B. S. was an independent road, with its own corporate entity, and headquarters was not interested in its affairs. Several heavy wrecks had filled the repair shops with locomotives, and there were not enough to properly equip the division, to say nothing of loaning one to so unimportant a branch line.

In desperation Fallon wired the main offices of the L. and V., and their reply was even more curt. The western strike was growing worse, and the message suggested that if Fallon could not manage without the assistance of the entire system a strike of one engineer he had better resign and let the office boy, if he had one, take charge.

All this took time, and the station was filled with the intending travelers, who were anxious to start upon their journey. The cause of the strike had been whispered about, and the passengers took turns coming to the general office, which was also the baggage room, and demanding that the strike be broken and communication restored.

Fallon grew desperate. Hardy, one of the heaviest stockholders of the L. and V., had been born in Bay Side, and his summer cottage over on the point was always open to his old acquaintances when the owner was there. If the story should reach Hardy through complaint on the part of one of the town people, there might be trouble. With a gesture of despair he opened the door and called Sadie into consultation.

"See if you can't fix things up," he pleaded. "Don't give in unless you have to, but as a last resort—well, I suppose I'll have to let you marry him."

With a hug and a kiss, Sadie darted to the window and threw up the sash.

"It's all right, Mart!" she called. "I'll ride down with you and get the ring."

"I told you as a last resort," groaned Fallon. "You might have talked him out of the strike."

"Small chance of that," laughed the girl as from the roundhouse came the puff of the exhaust. "As official strike breaker of the road I saw long ago that only complete surrender would be effective."

"Strike breaker!" grunted Fallon.

"There would have been another strike in the morning," she explained. "The telegraph department and the train dispatcher were going out in sympathy."

"It's darned little sympathy you have," growled Fallon. "What do you suppose Hardy will say if he hears of this?"

"He promised me a wedding present if I broke the strike," explained the girl calmly. "He wired this morning to know what the trouble was, and I told him."

For a moment Fallon pondered the situation, then he rose to his feet, with a sigh.

"There won't be any more strikes," he said. "It's all in the family now."

Why She Sang the Hymn.

A well known bishop relates that while on a recent visit to the south he was in a small country town where, owing to the scarcity of good servants, most of the ladies preferred to do their own work. He was awakened quite early by the tones of a soprano voice singing "Nearer, My God, to Thee." As the bishop lay in bed he meditated upon the piety which enabled his hostess to go about her task early in the morning singing such a noble hymn. At breakfast he spoke to her about it and told her how pleased he was.

"Oh, law," she replied, "that's the hymn I boil the eggs by—three verses for soft and five for hard."—Judge's Library.

No Time For Anything Else.

"So you think his intentions are serious," said the father. "Do you know anything about his habits?"

"Yes," replied the girl's mother; "that's why I think his intentions are serious."

"How do you mean?"

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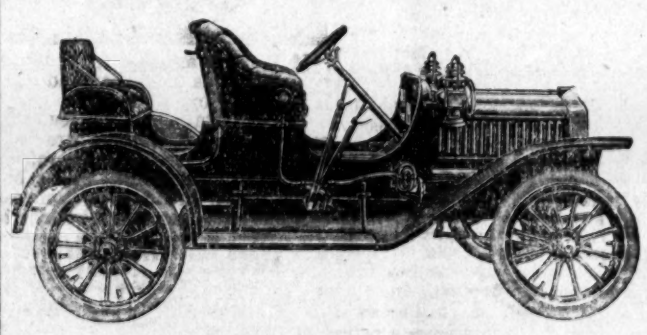

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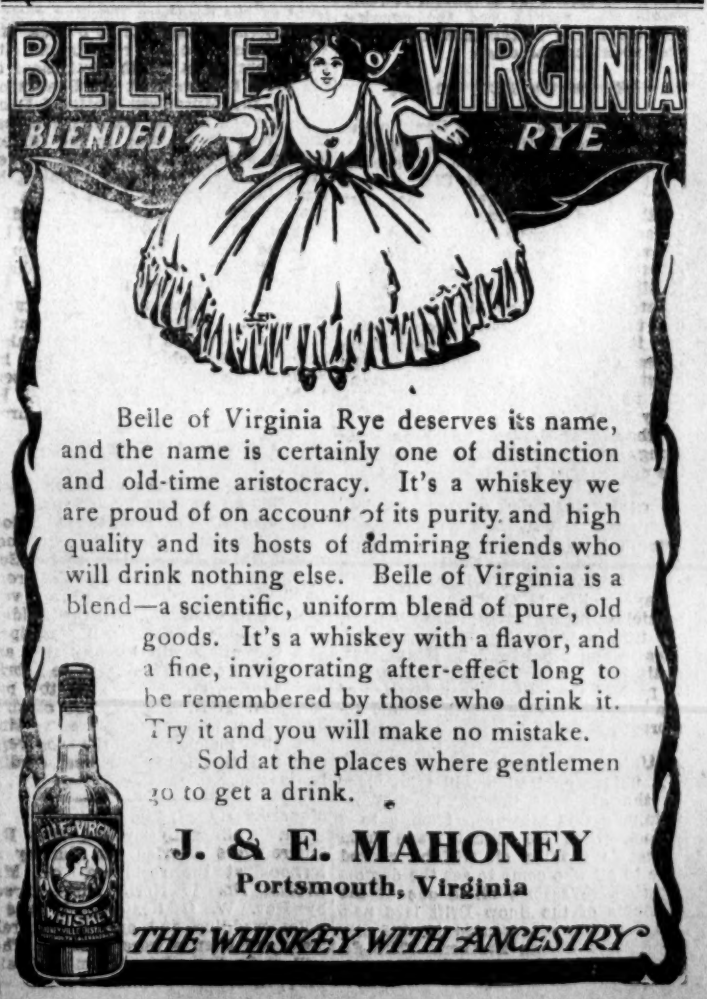

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Saturday, May 30, 1908.

WEATHER REPORT.

U. S. Department of Agriculture Weather Bureau.

Wilmington, N. C., May 30, 1908.

Meterological data for the 24 hours ending 8 P. M. Friday, May 28.

Temperature at 8 A. M. 74 degrees; 8 P. M. 77 degrees; maximum 79 degrees; minnimum 68 degrees; mean 74 degrees.

Rainfall for the day .08; rainfall for the month 2.80.

Stage of water in Cape Fear river at Fayetteville Friday at 8 A. M. 4.6 feet.

Showers Saturday and Sunday; fresh west winds becoming variable.

Port Calendar—May 30.

Sun Rises ..... 4:45. A. M.
Sun Set ..... 7:10 A. M.
Day's Length ..... 14 hrs. 17 min.
High water at Southport 8:28 P. M.
High water at Wilmington 10:58 P. M.

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E. Warren & Son—Ice Cream.
Beach and Suburban Schedule.
Palace Market—Special Today.
J. Hicks Bunting—New Quarters.
J. M. Solky & Co.—Announcement.
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Business Locals.

Wanted—Two Electric Fans.
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Stieff Piano Store—Expert Tuner.
Carl B. Rehder Candy Co.—Specials.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

—Mr. James G. Fennell is at home from the A. & M. College to spend the Summer [illegible]ne.

—Mr. Walter Leonard, of Supply, Brunswick county, was in the city yesterday making business calls.

—Mr. and Mrs. H. K. Blats have gone to Newberry, S. C., where they will spend their Summer vacation.

—Miss Keith Covington is visiting friends in Salisbury, N. C., and expects to be away from the city for some time.

—Judge C. A. Erwin, of the Christian Tabernacle, has gone to Onslow county to attend the meeting of the churches in Eastern North Carolina.

—Miss Charlotte Fennell has returned from a delightful visit of several weeks to friends in Greensboro and Rocky Mount.

—Messrs. Clem Brown and David Struthers have returned from the University of North Carolina where they were students the past year.

—Mrs. N. B. Futrell and little daughter, Miss Ella Bell, returned last night from Philadelphia after a pleasant visit of three weeks.

—Mr. Raymond Hunt, chief electrician of the Tidewater Power Company, left last evening for Stockton, N. J., to spend a part of his Summer vacation.

—Mr. W. K. Bethune, secretary and treasurer of the Robesonian Publishing Company at Lumberton, was in the city yesterday and the Star was pleased to have a call from him.

GRACE BARACA SOCIAL.

Delightful Social Affair in Lecture Room Last Evening.

The Baraca Class of Grace M. E. Church gave a delightful social last evening in the lecture room of the building, a large number of young people having been in attendance and thoroughly enjoyed the affair. The programme rendered during the evening was as follows:

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STORM ON OUR COAST.

Fears of Serious Damage Done in the Morehead Section—Wires down.

Raleigh, N. C., May 29.—A special tonight from Morehead City says a 70-mile hurricane raged on that part of the North Carolina coast from 9 o'clock today until near nightfall. Grave apprehension is felt for the safety of people of Portsmouth, a small village on a low part of the coast, near Morehead, but as telegraph and telephones are out of commission and it is impossible to get news from there or from other points on the coast. Life savers went late in the day to the rescue of a fishing boat. They have not returned. It is believed that great damage has been done along the coast. Vessels plying near the coast today have been in peril.

CUMBERLAND PRIMARIES.

Kitchin Leads in City of Fayetteville —In County Today.

(Special Star Telegram.)

Fayetteville, N. C., May 29.—In the municipal primaries held here tonight, the total vote of the city was as follows: For Kitchin 202, Horne 161, Craig 105. Horne ran well in the lower part of the city. The primaries of the country precincts will be held tomorrow.

A Unique Demonstration.

A unique exhibition will take place at the store of the C. W. Polvogt Company this afternoon from 5 to 7 o'clock when ice cream made from Wesson's cooking oil will be served free to all who come to see the demonstration. Wesson's oil is one of the products of the Snow Drift lard people, who are represented in this city by Messrs. Brown Brothers. The demonstration is free to the public and all ladies are invited.

LOCAL DOTS.

—Tag Day next Wednesday!

—Have you heard all about Tag Day?

—Harnett county's official vote on the prohibition election shows a majority of 75 for prohibition out of a total vote of 1,813.

—On account of National Memorial Day, holiday hours will be observed at the postoffice today. The public is requested to take note of the fact.

—The Summer schedule goes into effect on the suburban line today. Cars to the beach will be run every half hour from 6:30 A. M. to 11 P. M.

—The Hanover Seaside Club has opened its club house on the beach and members will now find it quite convenient to go down and spend a day at the beach.

—Tax listing for the ensuing fiscal year will begin on Monday. The lists will be taken in the basement of the Court House instead of at the City Hall as heretofore. Entrance will be from the Third street side of the Court House.

—The regular week end dance will be given at Lumina tonight. The music will be furnished by the regular Lumina orchestra under the leadership of Mr. John F. Kneisel, who has been the leader for the past three seasons.

—By deed filed for record yesterday Capt. John M. Walker and wife transferred to M. Rosenmann, for $10 and other considerations, property on Wrightsville Beach. A quit claim to same property was filed from Mrs. Mary Wright Cobb to Capt. Walker and wife, for the same property.

—Messrs. Carl B. and C. F. W. Rehder leave tomorrow morning for Chapel Hill where they will make the decorations for the University Commencement. Heretofore this work has been done by Richmond florists and the capture of the contract by a Wilmington firm is a decided achievement.

—In Justice Bornemann's court yesterday Strange Pridgen, charged with an assault upon and an affray with W. H. H. Todd, was fined $10 and costs. Todd was let off with the costs. There has been bad blood between the two men for several months, Pridgen at one time having been charged with inducing Todd's wife to leave him.

—The Wilmington Council of the Knights of Columbus will give an exemplification of three degrees to a large class Sunday. The Council and candidates will attend St. Thomas Catholic Church in a body at 9:30 A. M. and the ceremonial will begin at the hall immediately after mass. A number of Knights from Charleston, Charlotte, Greensboro and Columbia are expected.

BIG S. S. EXCURSION.

First Baptist School Enjoyed Delightful Day at Beach Yesterday.

One of the largest Sunday School excursions of the season was that of the First Baptist Church, which was a guest of the Tidewater Power Company for a delightful trip to Wrightsville Beach yesterday. There are over 600 members of the school and a majority of these assembled at the junction yesterday morning and went down on special trains in charge of Conductors R. S. Haddock and T. A. Norris. Lumina was headquarters for the merry party and all the young people and their teachers and officers had a delightful outing, returning to the city in the evening.

In charge of the party were Superintendent Geo. E. Leftwich; Assistant Superintendent A. S. Holden; Secretary and Treasurer M. E. Graham; Assistant Secretary and Treasurer D. C. Marshall; Librarian B. T. Hopkins; Organists, Miss Jennie Stanland and Mrs. Cora Weathersby. There are 27 teachers in the school and these were also present.

INJURED BY STREET CAR.

Mr. Joseph Jasper Williamson, of Cerro Gordo, Painfully Injured.

Mr. Joseph Jasper Williamson, of Cerro Gordo, N. C., was painfully injured by a southbound street car in front of the Southern Building yesterday afternoon about 12:30 o'clock. Mr. Williamson, who has been in the city for several days for the treatment of his eyes, had just left Dr. Hyatt's office in the Murchison National Bank building and started diagonally across the street on his way to the Gilbert House, where he has a room. When in front of the Southern building, he stumbled and fell in front of the approaching car. Motorman C. Dudley immediately dropped the fender of his car and brought the car to a quick stand-still but not until Mr. Williamson had been struck by the car. He suffered an abrasion and a contused wound on the right cheek in front of the ear. He was immediately taken into Dr. Bullock's office where his wounds were dressed and he was sent to his room at the Gilbert House. He is painfully but not seriously injured.

ANNUAL CHILDREN'S DAY.

Interesting Exercises at Grace M. E. Church on Sunday Morning.

In lieu of the regular 11 o'clock service at Grace M. E. Church tomorrow morning the children of the Sunday School will observe "Children's Day" exercises which are always very pretty and elaborate. All the children of the Sunday School will participate and the affair will be a pretty and impressive one. There will be a brief and appropriate address by the pastor, Rev. T. A. Smoot. The children have been rehearsing for some time and the members of the congregation and all friends are most cordially invited.

Moore-Lyerly Wedding.

Mr. William Lyerly and Miss Eva Moore were married last Sunday afternoon at the residence of Mrs. Croom, No. 10 North Ninth street, by Rev. W. L. Rexford. It was a quiet wedding and only a few relatives and friends were present. They will make their future home in Salisbury, N. C.

SEASHORE HOTEL OPENING.

Guests Will be Received on and After Next Wednesday—The Season.

The ever-popular Seashore Hotel, on Wrightsville Beach, under the management of Mr. Edgar L. Hinton, will be open for the reception of guests on next Wednesday, June 3rd, the formal opening with a briliant dance, to follow on Friday night, June 5th. The season promises to be a splendid one at this popular resort on the beach and elaborate arrangements are being made for thee opening ball. The decorations will be by Mr. C. F. Will Rehder and the public is most cordially invited. Nixon's splendid orchestra with two additianal pieces has been engaged for the season both for concerts and to play for the series of delightful dances each week.

A number of decided improvements have been made to the interior of the hotel, including the addition of a number of bath rooms and repainting throughout the house. Everything will be found bright and pleasing to the eye. A large number of conventions have been booked for the season and Manager Hinton has been besieged with requests for rates from nearly every Southern State. The hotel is well equipped to furnish the best of service. The table service will be the best that it is possible to make it and organized help has been imported from some of the best known hotels in the country. Milk will be supplied from the private dairy of the hotel management.

The clerical force will be the best that could be obtained. Mr. G. W. Traylor, Jr. of New York, will be chief clerk; Mr. Will Pennington, of Tarboro, assistant clerk and telegraph operator; Mr D. J. StClair, night clerk, and Mr. Benjamin Bell, Jr., of this city, cashier and bookkeeper. The dining room force, kitchen help and other employes are the very best obtainable and nothing will be spared to make the present the most successful season ever exprienced at this favorite resort.

Capt. Wiliam Wells, of Morehead City, will arrive in a few days and will have a fleet of four sharpies at the hotel piers for the benefit of fishing parties. He will also have one large and one small launch for pleasure parties on the Sound.

IN SUPERIOR COURT.

Very Little Doing Yesterday—Several Cases Are Continued.

The damage suit of J. A. Burriss against the City of Wilmington had to be postponed in the Superior Court yesterday on account of the illness of Dr. T. S. Burbank, a witness for the defendant. The case was set for Tuesday of next week.

The suit of Gaston D. Phares against the Clarendon Water Works Co., was continued on account of the absence of Capt. Robertson next week with the State troops at Fort Caswell. It was set, however, peremptorily for the first case of the next term, beginning October 5th.

Judgment was given the plaintiff in the case of C. H. Bonham against L. M. Bryant, who has fled the county on account of his connection with the Banks Rothwell murder case in the country some months ago.

The case set for trial today is Cape Fear Machine Works against the Angola Lumber Co., but it is doubtful if this can be tried. Very little progress is being made on the docket as the attorneys either for one side or the other in the several cases set, seem to be playing for time. Court took a recess at 11:30 A. M. yesterday until 9:30 A. M. today.

SUNDAY SERVICES.

Announcements of Wilmington Pastors for Pulpits Tomorrow.

Religious services will be conducted at the Seamen's Bethel tomorrow afternoon at 3 o'clock by the Chaplain. Seamen and rivermen especially invited. All are welcome.

Immanuel Presbyterian Church Front and Queen streets, Rev. J. S. Crowley, pastor: Services at 11 A. M. and 7:45 P. M., tomorrow, Sunday School at 10 A. M. The public is cordially invited to attend any or all of these services.

First Presbyterian Church, corner Third and Orange streets, Rev. J. M. Wells, D. D., pastor: Services tomorrow at 11 A. M. and 8 P. M. Sunday school at 4 P. M. Mid-week prayer meeting Wednesday at 8 P. M. Seats free; all are welcome.

St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church, corner Fourth and Campbell streets, Rev. Alex. D. McClure, D. D., pastor; Sabbath services at 11 A. M. and 8 P. M. Sabbath School at 4:00 P. M. W. C. E. Society at 7:15 P. M. Prayer meeting and lecture Wednesday at 8 P. M. The public cordially invited. Seats free.

Pullman Parlor Car Service.

The Seaboard Air Line will inaugurate Pullman Parlor Car service on Trains 38 and 40, and 39 and 41 between Charlotte and Wilmington on June 1st, leaving Charlotte at 4:30 A. M., Hamlet 7:50 A. M., arriving in Wilmington at 12:50 P. M. and leaving Wilmington at 3 P. M., arriving at Hamlet at 7:50 P. M. and Charlotte at 11:30 P. M. This is to accommodate the Summer excursion travel to Wilmington and Wrightsville Beach.

Another Southern Dividend.

Stockholders of the Southern National Bank received very pleasant little missives when they called for their mail at the postoffice yesterday. These were notices to the effect that the bank had declard its fourth semi-annual dividend of three per cent. since it began business three years ago and these may be collected at any time. This dividend is paid in addition to $25,000 accrued profits which have been passed to the surplus fund.

DIED.

HOWEY—On Friday, May 29th, 1908, at 1:20 P. M., GEORGE PARKER, infant son of George P. and Hattie Howey, age nine days.

Funeral at 10 o'clock this (Saturday) morning from family residence, No. 204 South Sixth street; interment in Oakdale cemetery. Friends and acquaintances of the family respectfully invited to attend.

White and Fancy Duck Trousers, —98c.

J. H. Rehder & Co.
THE POPULAR DEPARTMENT STORE
The Firm That Pays Your Car Fare.

White and Fancy Vests, Great Variety, —98c.

The Great Clothing Sale

Continues Until

Wednesday, June the Third

A remarkable money-saving event. Everything in the clothing department included in this great sale. An opportunity not to be repeated. Here are just a few prices:

Men's Suits

Men's $6.00 and $7.00 Suits, Fancy and Plain Cheviots and Worsteds, brown and grey mixed; this sale $4.75

Men's $8.50 to $10 Suits, Single and double breasted, plain and fancy, htis sale $6.75

plain and fancy, this saits, this sale.....$9.50

Men's $15.00 to $17.50 Suits, Kirschbaum, hand made, fine quality, blue French Serges, unfinished Worsted, plain and fancy weaves, single and double breasted, this sale $13.50

Men's $20.00 to $22.50 Kirschbaum hand-made Suits; the newest fabrics and best styles, this sale..$17.50

Boys' Suits

Boys' $3.75 light grey and plaid English Tweed Knickerbocker Suits, reinforced seams, warranted not to rip $2.50

Boys' blue serge, black Cheviots. Fancy and plaid Worsted. Well made; size 6 to 17, this sale..$2.19

Boys' $4.50 and $5.00 blue Serges, plaid and fancy Cassimeres, Knickerbocker Suits, 6 to 17 years, this sale $3.47

Boys' 25c Knee Pants, sizes 4 to 16 years; nicely made; fancy mixed, this sale 19c

Boys' 69c and 75c Pants, sizes 4 to 16, in plain Serges and fancy Worsted material, this sale.....49c

Boys' 75c and $1.00 light grey and plaid English tweed made Knickerbocker style, all sizes.....45c

Boys' $1.50 and $1.75 Knickerbocker Pants well made all wool, blue serges and fancy worsteds, this sale $1.19

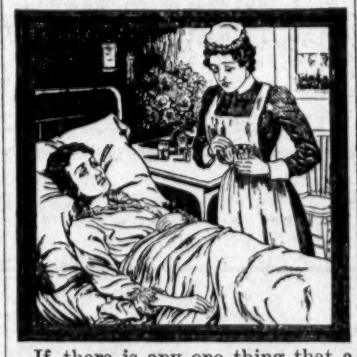
RURAL CARRIERS TODAY.

Annual Meeting of the Eastern Carolina Association This Morning.

The annual meeting of the Eastern Carolina Rural Letter Carriers' Association will be held this morning in the United States Court room and a large attendance of members is expected. The visitors will be welcomed by Postmaster Thos. E. Wallace and the response will be by Mr. R. F. Gore, president of the Association. A number of interesting papers will be read and arrangements will be made for the annual meeting of the State Association on July 3rd and 4th. After the formal business meeting today the members of the Association will go on a jaunt to Wrightsville Beach, returning in time to leave on the evening trains for their stations. This is National Memorial Day and the carriers will enjoy a brief respite from their labors, making possible the meeting here.

See Counter No. 3. **

A SURGICAL OPERATION



If there is any one thing that a woman dreads more than another it is a surgical operation.

We can state without fear of a contradiction that there are hundreds, yes, thousands, of operations performed upon women in our hospitals which are entirely unnecessary and many have been avoided by

LYDIA E. PINKHAM'S VEGETABLE COMPOUND

For proof of this statement read the following letters.

Mrs. Barbara Base, of Kingman, Kansas, writes to Mrs. Pinkham:

"For eight years I suffered from the most severe form of female troubles and was told that an operation was my only hope of recovery. I wrote Mrs. Pinkham for advice, and took Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, and it has saved my life and made me a well woman."

Mrs. Arthur R. House, of Church Road, Moorestown. N. J., writes:

"I feel it is my duty to let people know what Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has done for me. I suffered from female troubles, and last March my physician decided that an operation was necessary. My husband objected, and urged me to try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, and to-day I am well and strong."

FACTS FOR SICK WOMEN.

For thirty years Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, made from roots and herbs, has been the standard remedy for female ills, and has positively cured thousands of women who have been troubled with displacements, inflammation, ulceration, fibroid tumors, irregularities, periodic pains, and backache.

Mrs. Pinkham invites all sick women to write her for advice. She has guided thousands to health. Address, Lynn, Mass.

Suits to Your Measure

If you are hard to fit, or been having trouble to get clothing to suit you, look over our line. We represent the best tailoring house in New York. A good fit is assured every time.

Shirts For Spring

with or without collar of the Lion Brand, and Majestic make, white, blue and fancy at $1.00 to $2.00.

All silk shirts in beautiful patterns for $2.50.

Men's and Children's clothing to suit all, at reasonable prices for nice made, good fitting garments.

J. W. H. FUCHS

Sole agents Holeproof Socks.

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We Pay You to Save.

Nothing Succeeds Like Success

except saving the results of sucess—be it from labor or business. If your success comes in a small way, save a part. Small amounts soon yield the large, if left in OUR SAVINGS DEPARTMENT. A small sum—even a dollar will start an account and it's here for you at any time.

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OF WILMINGTON, N. C.
The New Bank.

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THE NEW

SANITARY PLUMBERS

Office and Workroom: Old Court House.

PROMPT ATTENTION GIVEN ALL ORDERS

may 26-tf.

Now Is the Time to Advertise in The Star.

THE PRESBYTERIANS

Last Day of the General Assembly—Cases From Kentucky and Texas—Question of Polygamy in Missionary Fields.

(By Wire to the Morning Star)

Greensbro, N. C., May 29.—Consideration of the report on schools and colleges was resumed at the last day's session of the Southrn Presbyterian General Assembly. The morning session was conducted by Rev. D. B. Penyck, of Texas. In the discussion of schools and colleges amendment was adopted to safe-guarding donations so as to keep them under control of the church.

Dr. R. E. Vincent, of Texas, was elected secretary of the committee on schools and colleges. The delegates were chosen for the council of the alliance at New York in 1909.

The committee appointed to formulate the judgment of the Assembly of Kentucky recommended that the complaint be sustained and that the whole matter be referred back to the Synod of Kentucky for a hearing. After considerable discussion, the report of the committee was accepted.

There were majority and minority reports from the committee on overtures in regard to the confession of faith and after much discussion the majority report was accepted as follows:

"In view of the widespread difference of opinion as to the necessity of change of some sort to the confession of Faith, Chap. 3, Sec. 7 and Chap. 10, Sec 3, this assembly sends down to the Presbyteries the question with request for answer to be returned to the next Assembly, to wit: Shall any change be made to Confession of Faith, Chap. 10, Sec. 3?

Another question which attracted considerable interest today was that of polygamy, and the hour for noon recess arrived before the matter was decided. The question came before the assembly in the report of the committee upon an overture from the Presbytery of Eastern Texas.

The overture on the subject of plygamy as practiced by converts on mission fields was answered by the committee as follows:

"The practice of polgamy is in violation of the Scriptural law of marriage and missionaries are urged to be careful to emphasize the Sscriptural teaching as to marriage. There may be cases so peculiar as to require great patience in dealing with them, and whenever possible, there should be a conference of the missionaries in dealing with such cases."

D. E. Harrison offered as a substitute to this report a paper urging that the missionaries in both home and foreign fields be instructed not to baptize or to receive into church any converts who will not relinquish the practice of polygamy.

At 4:45 o'clock the assembly was formally dissolved to reconvene in Savannah, Ga., in May, 1909.

MURDER IN FIRST DEGREE.

Verdict in Case of Ack Hale For Killing His Sweetheart.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Bristol, Tenn., May 29.—After deliberating eighteen hours, the jury in the case of Ack Hale, the youth charged with the murder of his sweetheart, today returned a verdict of guilty of murder in the first degree, recommending mercy. The court sentenced Hale to life imprisonment.

At 12 o'clock the jury was called in by Judge Tyler, but the foreman stated that they were divided and he feared could not arrive at a verdict. A few hours later the jury came in and announced the finding. The case will be appealed to the Supreme Court.

The tragedy occurred in East Hill Cemetery, in this city, on the night of May 27, 1907. The girl had left her home and went to the cemetery in company with Hale. She was found dying and he protested that she had committed suicide by shooting herself with his pistol. He was arrested and taken to Blountville under heavy guard to prevent a threatened lynching. The girl was to have been married on Easter Sunday, three days later to J. E. McRoberts, a young man of Georget, Va., and had already prepared her wedding clothes.

The theory o fthe State was that Hale criminally assaulted the girl and then murdered her to conceal his crime. It was known that he objected strenuously to her marriage to Mr. Roberts and the general opinion is that he killed the girl because she had rejected him.

Roy Hale a brother of Ack Hale, was sentenced to the penitentiary for 20 years a few weeks ago, for the murder of Irby Davis, a brother of Lilly Davis. He has another brother who is under indictment in Washington county and a brother-in-law serving a 20-year sentence in North Carolina for highway robbery.

Raymond Stroops, a member of the notorious Hale family gang, shot a Bristol policeman a few weeks ago and is now a fugitive.

Salvation Army Notes.

The regular services will be held by the Salvation Army tonight and Sunday. Tonight the usual outdoor service will be held at the corner of Front and Princess street at 7:30, followed by a song and praise service in the hall to which all are invited. Sunday morning the usual meeting will be held at the Convict Camp. At 3 P. M. Sunday School to which all children not attending and other school are invited. At 4:30 P. M., the usual jail meeting. At 7:30 another outdoor meeting followed by an old time revival service at which a very special address will be given by Mr. Kettle, secretary of the Y. M. C. A. Young men are especially invited to this service, all will be welcome.

BASE BALL

National League.

At Pittsburg 1; Cincinnati 5.
At Brooklyn 0; New York 1.
At Philadelphia 8; Boston 0.
At St. Louis4; Chicago 3.

American League.

At Boston 1; Washington 6.
Second game, Boston 5; Washington 7.
At New York 6; Philadelphia 5.
Second game: New York 0; Philadelphia 1.
At Cleveland 0; St. Louis 1.

Southern League.

At Birmingham 4; Little Rock 1.
At Atlanta-Mobile, rain.
At Montgomery 1; New Orleans 4.
At Nashivlle 9; Memphis 1.

South Atlantic.

At Augusta 3; Jacksonville 1.

Virginia League.

At Roanoke 7; Danville 1.
At Norfolk 0; Portsmouth 0. (six innings, rain).
At Richmond 1; Lynchburg 3.

South Atlantic League.

At Savannah 1; Columbia 0 (11 innings).
At Macon 2; Charleston 6.

Carolina League.

At Winston-Salem 5; Greensboro 13.
At Anderson 1; Charlotte 3.
At Greenville 4; Spartanburg 3.

A score or more of persons were injured in a panic late yesterday at Montgomery, Ala., on a crowded electric car returning from the baseball park which ran away down a steep incline east of Madison avenue. None of the injured are fatally hurt.

FUNERAL OF MR. MORRIS.

Impressive Services From Late Residence Yesterday Afternoon.

In the presence of a large assemblage of friends not only from this city but many railroad men from a distance, impressive funeral services were conducted at 5 o'clock yesterday afternoon over the remains of the late Mr. Wm. J. Morris, whose sad death occurred Thursday morning. The services were by Rev. Fred D. Hale, D. D., pastor of the First Baptist Church, and Rev. A. D. McClure, D. D. pastor of St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church, the funeral hymns having been by a special choir. The floral tributes were many and very handsome, a number of designs being sent by friends from a distance and by those who came to attend the obsequies from out of the city.

The remains were tenderly laid to rest in Oakdale cemetery, the pall-bearers having been: Honorary, Dr. Jos. Akerman, Messrs. E. Borden, P. R. King, of Goldsboro; F. E. Hashagen, H. Stockman, of Rocky Mount; Thos. McMillan and Thomas Torpy; active, Messrs. W. Williams, Tom Weathers, H. Horne, J. M. Donlan and W. B. Geiger, of Rocky Mount, and J. L. Mealey, of Florence, S. C.

The pall-bearers were largely from the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers and in addition to those named the following were present from out of the city: Messrs B. W .King, Leon Pearsall and Will Horne, of Rocky Mount. The funeral was one of the largest and most impressive held in Wilmington in some time.

Wonderful Builders.

A personal inspection of the pyramids made by an English quarry owner led him to the conclusion that the old Egyptians were better builders than those of the present day. He found blocks of stone in the pyramids weighing three or four times as much as the obelisks on the banks of the Nile. He saw a stone the estimated weight of which was 800 tons. Many of the stones were found to be thirty feet in length and fitted so closely together that the blade of a penknife could be run over the surface without discovering the break between them. There is no machinery, he claims, so perfect that it will make two surfaces thirty feet in length which will meet together in unison as the stones in the pyramids meet.

Ruskin to an Admirer.

Ruskin, it is known, had his own ways of publishing his works, with the result that they were sometimes hard to get and expensive. According to the Great Central Railway Journal, he once sent this letter to a stranger who wrote to him complaining of the price of his books:

84 Woodstock Road, Oxford, 4th Nov., '84.

My Dear Sir—I have ordered my publisher to send you in gift a book of mine ("Munera Pulveris") you have not read. Be content with that at present, and Carlyle. Have not you Shakespeare, cheap? And the Bible nowadays for nothing? What good do they do you? Faithfully yours, J. RUSKIN.

A Curious Superstition.

Among the superstitions of the Seneca Indians was this most beautiful one: When a young maiden died they imprisoned a young bird until it first began to try its powers of song, and then, loading it with caresses and messages, they loosed its bonds over her grave in the belief that it would not fold its wings nor close its eyes until it had flown to the spirit land and delivered its precious burden of affection to the loved and lost one.

Decay of Laughter In England.

I am perfectly certain that half our ills are due to the fact that we do not laugh enough. A good, sincere smile is something rare in these times, a "laughing face" is scarce, and it is seldom indeed that one hears a good, ringing laugh.—London World.

Neither Still Nor Small.

"When you do something you know is wrong, doesn't a still, small voice keep reminding you of it eternally?"

"A still, small voice! I guess you never met my wife, did you?"—Houston Post.

WEEK-END DANCE TONIGHT.
Week-end dance at Lumina tonight.
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ENGLAND SAYS NO ALUM IN FOOD

and strictly prohibits the sale of alum baking powder—

So does France
So does Germany

The sale of alum foods has been made illegal in Washington and the District of Columbia, and alum baking powders are everywhere recognized as injurious.

To protect yourself against alum, when ordering baking powder,

Say plainly—

ROYAL BAKING POWDER

and be very sure you get Royal.

Royal is the only Baking Powder made from Royal Grape Cream of Tartar. It adds to the digestibility and wholesomeness of the food.

The Story of a Word.

A comparison of old editions of Scott's "Monastery" with one of later date will reveal a slight alteration in the text of a sentence in the tenth chapter. For the word "morse" another is substituted. A tale of comedy attaches to the word which has gone. "Hardened wretch," says Father Eustace, "art thou but this instant delivered from death, and dost thou so soon morse thoughts of slaughter?" The origin of the word morse seems sorely to have troubled the etymologists. Two learned correspondents of Notes and Queries, Mr. Wheatley tells us, accounted for the word. One explained it as "to prime," as when one primes a musket, from O. Fr. "amorce," powder for the touchhole (Cotgrave), and the other by "to bite" (Lat. "mordere"); hence "to indulge in biting, stinging or gnawing thoughts of slaughter." On the other side were those who said that the word was a misprint for something else. "That the word as a misprint should have been printed and read by millions for fifty years without being challenged and altered exceeds the bounds of probability," exclaimed the apologists for morse. But when the manuscript was examined there "nurse" was the word, plainly written.—St. James' Gazette.

A Chinese Chair of Repentance.

The knife chair is an instrument of torture used in certain Taiping religious ceremonies, which takes the form of a straight backed armchair furnished with long blades wherever the body and limbs touch the chair. On the back the knives are placed horizontally; on the seat, as well as at the base for the feet to rest upon, vertically, while each arm is made of a similar blade, along the edge of which the sitter's arm rests. These blades are sharpened with a whetstone before us.—Wide World Magazine.

She Well Knew.

Gayley—You haven't had occasion to accuse me of playing poker for two years. Mrs. Gayley—Three years, my dear. Gayley—How do you know it's three years? Mrs. Gayley—Because I've worn this dress that long, and I got it the last time I caught you.—Catholic Standard and Times.

A Feminine View.

"When I was young, my dear, girls were not allowed to sit up so late with young men."

"Then, papa, why do you allow me to do so? It would be so much more interesting if you would only forbid it."—Judge.

So live that you can march up to the mirror and look yourself squarely in the face without winking.—Dallas News.

A Fairy Tale.

Dear little Maudie awoke about 2 o'clock the other morning and asked mamma to tell her a fairy tale.

"It's too late, darling," mamma replied. "Daddy will be in shortly, and he'll tell us both one."—Philadelphia Inquirer.

Our Language.

"He's the coming man."

"Yes; he's one of the best fellows going."—Baltimore American.

The great republic shall live as long as the poorest citizen freely expresses his personal and political opinion, and no longer.—Baltimore American.

No Use To Die.

"I have found out that there is no use to die of lung trouble as long as you can get Dr. King's New Discovery," says Mrs. J. P. White, of Rushboro, Pa. "I would not be alive to day only for that wonderful medicine. It loosens up a cough quicker than anything else, and cures lung disease even after the case is pronounced hopeless." This most reliable remedy for coughs and colds, lagrippe, asthma, bronchitis and hoarseness, is sold under guarantee at R. R. Bellamy's drug store. 50c and $1.00. Trial bottle free.

—Concord Tribune—While the home of Mr. John R. Wood was burning the other night a pet parrot attracted attention by his screams for help. The bird realized that he was endangered and had no idea of being overlooked in the work of rescuing. He screamed loudly for help—crying "Take me out of here!" "Take me out of here!"—until he was taken out. Several times he emphasized his demand for help with a word not in the printable list, such as all well regulated parrots know how to use with vigor.

Good For Everybody.

Mr. Norman R. Coulter, a prominent architect, in the Delbert Building, San Francisco, says: "I fully endorse all that has been said of Electric Bitters as a tonic medicine. It is good for everybody. It corrects stomach, liver and kidney disorders in a prompt and efficient manner and builds up the system." Electric Bitters is the best spring medicine ever sold over a druggist's counter; as a blood purifier it is unequaled 50c at R. R. Bellamy's drug store.

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Week-end dance at Lumina tonight.
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FOR SALE—500,000 feet fine cypress in Columbus county; also 3,000,000 feet fine cypress in Horry county; one-third mile from railroad. Both splendid shingle propositions for small mill. Apply to Cape Fear Lumber Co., Wilmington, N. C. may 28-3t

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BOARDING—Permanent and Transient. Best location in city. Meals to suit the business men. Strictly up to date. Harnett House, 110 Princess st. Hot and cold baths. Phone No. 719 se 22-tf

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GILBERT HOUSE—For good beds, all new, cool rooms, well screened, no mosquitoes during Summer, baths, electric lights; as good meals as market affords. A. M. Gilbert, corner Front and Princess streets, at car junction of street railway, Wilmington, N. C. mar 29 tf

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FOR SALE CHEAP—Any parties wishing counters, office fixtures including safe, also two fine letter files, please address Box 86. may 28-3t

WANTED—100,000 heart pine crossties; size seven inches by nine inches by eight feet; inspection made at loading point; terms cash. HENDERSON-JARRETT LUMBER COMPANY, Inc., Murchison Bank Building, Wilmington, N. C. may 29-7t.

THE FRUITLIN INN, situated in the grand mountains of North Carolina, 18 miles west of Rutherfordton. Board by the week $4; by the month $14. For information address A. G. McMurray, Dennis, N. C. may 28-8t*

WANTED.—A boy of fifteen years of age desires employment at anything honorable; not afraid of work. Address R. L. care Star. Call phone 1437. may 28-4t.

FOR RENT—Elegant flat, 311 South Fifth street; all modern conveniences: gas and wood ranges in kitchen; possession given at once. Apply on premises. may 21-tf

For Sale

Combination Horse, color, black; city broke; 7 years old. Apply to

Samuel Bear, Sr. & Sons
18-20 Market St.

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SATURDAY ONLY—40c chocolates, 25c pound. Burnt and cream almonds 25c pound. Chocolate almonds, 45c pound. Best marshmallows 15c pound. Gum drops, lime and mint drops, 10c pound. At the Carl B. Rehder Candy Co., 203 Princess street. may 30-1t

PIANO TUNING—Mr. Gustave H. Stiegler, one of our expert piano tuners will be in the city for ten days Leave your orders at store. Chas. M. Stieff, 213 Princess street. may 30-3t

WANTED—Position in drug store during vacation by young man. P. O. Box 318, City. may 30-2t.

WANTED—Two electric ceiling fans; must be in good condition. Write Box 124. may 30-2t.

CAR FLORIDA Favorite watermelons in transit. Fine lot Florida Valencia late oranges and early cantaloupes. Phone 1200 or see D. M. Gregg. may 29-3t*

Special Rates and Cars to Birmingham Account of Confederate Reunion June 6th-9th

Account of the above occasion the Seaboard announces low round-trip rates to Birmingham and return. Rate from Raleigh $12.05; Durham, $11.95; Henderson, $12.80; Oxford, $12.80; Hamlet, $10.10; Wilmington, $12.30; Charlotte, $8.95; Wadesboro, $9.60. All other points on same basis. Tickets will be sold June 6th-7th-8th final return limit June 20th; extension final limit can only be secured account of illness, but stop-overs will be allowed within the final limit at Athens, Atlanta, Cedartown and Borden Springs. Low side trip rate tickets will be sold from Birmingham to points of interest in that vicinity. Gen. Julian S. Carr, Commander in Chief, the Durham Camp and the Mecklenburg Camp of Charlotte having decided to use the Seaboard, extra coaches and Pullman car will be provided from Durham on D. & S. train leaving Durham at 3:15 P. M. Monday, June 8th, connecting at Apex with No. 41, leaving Raleigh at 4:15 P. M., Apex at 4:43 P. M., arriving at Birmingham without change, the following day at 12:10. Extra coach and Pullman car will also leave Charlotte by special train at 9 P. M. the same date connecting with No. 41 leaving Monroe at 10:30 P. M. This train has connection from all points north of Raleigh and at Hamlet with train from Wilmington and extra coaches will be provided for other Camps on application, and if business is sufficient to justify it, special train will be run from Monroe.

For additional information address the undersigned.

C. H. GATTIS, T. P. A.
may 22-tf. Raleigh, N. C.

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These tiny CAPSULES are superior to Balsam of Copaiba, Cubebs or Injections, and RELIEVES in 24 HOURS the same diseases without inconvenience.
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"The Store That's Always Busy"

FREE ICE CREAM AT POLVOGT'S

The Snowdrift demonstration of Hogless Lard at the Polvogt Co.'s will give away Ice Cream free to the ladies of our city, made from Wesson Cooking Oil, on Saturday afternoon, between 5 and 7 o'clock.

—EVERYBODY IS WELCOME.—

THE C. W. POLVOGT COMPANY

may 29-tf.

Thousands of valuable libraries are started every year by students, the foundation being a few books and two or three Globe-Wernicke "Elastic" Bookcases. We sell this make for a reason. We can obtain no better.

C. W. YATES & CO.
MARKET STREET.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE

—Jacksonville, N. C., May 28.—Governors' vote in primaries practically unchanged from yesterday. Koonce wins for the House over both opponents by about five hundred majority; Winborne leads and Clements runs second. Shipman leads with Wilson next. Middleton leads with Aycock and London next. Old State officers get safe majority. Seven precincts yet to hear from. Summersill leads for sheriff.

—News and Observer.—Col. and Mrs. Benehan Cameron and their daughters, Misses Isabel and Sallie Cameron, accompanied by their nurse, Sarah Briggs, colored, left yesterday for Richmond and on the fourth of June will leave New York on the steamer Mauritania of the Cunard line for a visit to Europe. Col. Cameron will attend the Pan-American Conference in London and will after this go to Scotland where he will visit the "Cameron den."

—Charlotte, N. C., May 28.—A strange and tragic arrest was made tonight by officers when an old negro, Rich Brown, alias John Henry, was apprehended for a murder committed about 1891, when he killed Bid Nash. The old negro confessed the whole thing to the officers, and after being locked up began a weird song that he improvised, evidently through relief because his secret of seventeen years no longer bore him down. The old fellow took his capture in an extraordinary philosphical manner.

—Wadesboro Ansonian. — Mr. Fred Hargrave has moved into his charming bachelor quarters on Camden road (not street), where he is delighted with his rural surroundings. His cottage is modern in every particular, and is surrounded with oak and pine forest, the honeysuckle and "bullace" vines. The brilliant electric lights shine out through the evening twilight and proudly proclaim that here is a man content though single. It is the supreme effort of man to be happy without woman and the experiment will be watched with much interest by both sexes.

—Wilson, N. C., May 82.—The little eight-year-old negro who shot and killed the four-year-old son of John Mercer, also colored, was again up to more devilment yesterday afternoon. He went to the home of the bereaved parents and told the father that he would get one or two more of "them." A warrant was at once issued for his arrest and he was locked in the guard house this morning. Today at 12 o'clock on the advice of the city attorney, he was placed in jail until the return of Solicitor Daniels, who is absent from the city. At the inquest over the dead child the boy, on account of his youth, was not held responsible for the deed, but the jury recommended that the clerk bind him out to some responsible person. Why the boy was not turned over to the clerk that he might carry out his instructions is not known.

—Henderson Gold Leaf.—Mr. D. H. Gill was the victim of an unfortunate accident Saturday morning, as a result of which he is in a hospital in Richmond with a bullet in his body and his life is in jeopardy. It appears that he had been annoyed by a dog eating his young chickens. When he started to the field to plow Saturday morning, he put his pistol in the front pocket of his overalls, handle downward. The supposition is that the plow struck an obstruction throwing the handles violently up, that the crossbar struck the hammer of the pistol and caused it to fire. The bullet struck Mr. Gill in the right side of the abdomen and ranged upward. (The injured man does not know himself just how the accident occurred.) He started to the house a short distance away and called to his wife who reached him just as he got to the yard. He fell to the ground and lost consciousness but rallied from the shock some hours later. Physicians were summoned and he received such treatment as could be given him. It was decided to take him to the hospital to be operated on, and he was carried to Richmond Sunday morning.

—Greensboro Record.—Among the noted ministers attending the Assembly is Dr. Ned L. Anderson, now of Winston. Some time ago he was called by the Winston church from Montgomery, Ala. After he had decided to accept and his congregation had quit shedding tears, they presented him with a most magnificent silver service, of which he was of course very proud. When he was shipping his effects to Winston he wrote Elder Rogers, of that place, to go to the express office and get the silver service and put it in a vault. Accordingly when the goods arrived Elder Rogers went to the express office; there he found two boxes; he felt of them and taking the heaviest one as likely to contain the silver, he took it home with him and the bank being closed he slept on it that night, taking it to the bank the next day. In due time Dr. Anderson appeared and was informed that his treasure was in the bank's vaults. He was content and went to work unpacking. In a day or two he went to the vault, took out the box and saw at once that it was not his silver service; instead it was a box of sermons; the silver was in the box left at the express office, but it was safe.

The Lucky Quarter

Is the one you pay out for a box of Dr. King's New Life Pills. They bring you the health that's more precious than jewels. Try them for headache, billiousness, constipation and malaria. If they disappoint you the price will be cheerfully refunded at R. R. Bellamy's drug store.

WEEK-END DANCE TONIGHT.

Week-end dance at Lumina tonight.

Teach The Children Music, Too!

A complete musical education is one of the most valuable of accomplishments. By means of the Ludden & Bates Piano Club, it is surely the most easily acquired. By joining the club now forming, members can not only secure a beautiful high-grade piano at about two-thirds its real value, but can also arrange for a complete course of musical instruction *without a cent of cost.*

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The Ludden & Bates Club Piano is a full cabinet grand with special copper wound and steel strings, balanced scale, double repeating action, light, even touch, and genuine ivory keys. Beautiful cases of walnut, mahogany or oak. Rich "singing" tone, found only in the highest grade of pianos.

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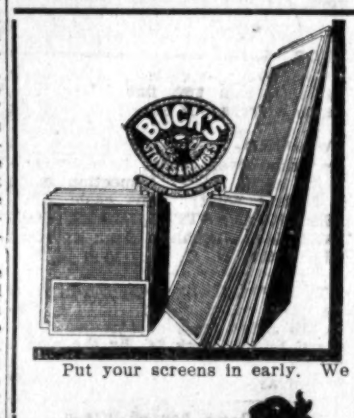

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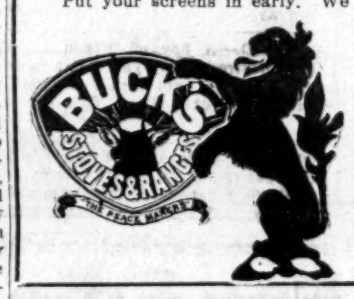

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—119 MARKET STREET—
may 27-tf.

A Star Business Local Is a Business Winner

ENTRY NO. 9116.

State of North Carolina,
New Hanover County.

To The Entry Taker of New Hanover County.

I, the undersigned, John A. Biddle of the above named State and County, do hereby enter and lay claim to the following supposed vacant and unappropriated land subject to entry: Lying and being in Myrtle Grove Sound, Federal Point Township, County of New Hanover and State of North Carolina, Bounded and described as follows: Lying and being on the East side of the Channel of Myrtle Grove Sound and surrounded by the waters of the same and commonly known as "Sheep Head Rock," and being near an island known as "Gum Island." Containing five acres, more or less. This 30th day of April 1908.

JOHN A. BIDDLE.

Entered and Filed this 30th day of April 1908.

Henry Horne, Dep. Reg. of Deeds and Dep. Acting Entry Taker for New Hanover County.

may 2 30 days.*

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A glass of Pale Export beer is good for the nerves and many other disorders. A mild stimulant that is always beneficial and invigorating; not because it is beer alone, but because it is good beer, and containing the pure essence of malt and hops, properly brewed, matured and bottled by Darley Park Brewing Co., under thorough sanitary conditions which makes it a beverage matchless in its wholesomeness.

DARLEY PARK BREWERY
G. MORGAN KNIGHT,
Phone 49 Local Manager
may 12 tf

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The fact that this institution, starting at zero less than three years ago, has, in proportion to capital and surplus, built up a larger business than ever before shown by a National Bank in the South, argues what?

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That its conservative policy and modern banking methods, combined with progressive public spirit and fair dealing with small as well as large accounts, is appreciated.

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Perhaps you may have in mind opening an account or concentrating your business through a National Bank of strong resources and careful management.

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Write or call to see us. We will be interested in going into the matter with you, whether business results or not.

Capital and Surplus $300,000.00 Assets $1,800,000.00

The Southern National Bank
OPPOSITE POSTOFFICE.

Report of
HUGH MACRAE & COMPANY,
BANKERS.
At the close of Business, May 14, 1908.

RESOURCES:

Overdrafts secured		$ 3,344.12
Furniture and fixtures		1,498.11
Demand Loans		24,125.01
Due from banks and bankers		19,579.47
Cash items		1,750.00
Silver coin, including all minor Coin Currency		6.29
Natoinal Bank Notes and other U. S. Notes		205.00
		$50,508.00

LIABILITIES:

Capital Stock	$10,000.00
Undivided profits less curent expenses and taxes paid	1,947.39
Deposits subject to check	38,560.61
	$50,508.00

State of North Carolina, New Hanover County.

I, J. A. McGeachy, Acting Cashier for Hugh MacRae & Company, Bankers, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

J. A. McGEACHY,
Acting Cashier.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 29th day of May, 1908.

W. B. DRAKE, JR.
Notary Public.

My commission expires Aug. 21, 1908.
may 30-1t.

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J. H. BOATWRIGHT & SON, Agents.
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TO

THE BEACH

SUBURBAN SCHEDULE

In effect May 30th, 1908.

Leave Wilmington	Leave Beach
6:30 A. M.	6:15 A. M.
and every half hour thereafter until	7:15 A. M. and every half hour thereafter until
11:00 P. M.	11:45 P. M.
12:00 P. M.	

FREIGHT.

Leave Wilmington	Leave Beach
*6:00 A. M.	7:15 A. M.
10:00 A. M.	12:15 P. M.
4 00 P. M.	6:15 P. M.
7:00 P. M.	8:15 P. M.

Freight depot open daily except Sunday from 8:00 A. M. to 7:00 P. M.

* This train leaves from Front and Princess. Freight received from 5:40 to 6:00 A. M.

SUNDAY SCHEDULE.

Leave Wilmington	Leave Beach
8:30 A. M.	7:45 A. M.
and every half hour thereafter until	9:15 A. M. and every half hour thereafter until
11:00 P. M.	11:45 P. M.
12:00 P. M.	

FREIGHT.

11:00 A. M.	12:15 P. M.

Freight depot open on Sundays.

10:00 A. M.	11:00 A. M.

Carolina Place, Delgado and Golf Links.

Leave Junction every 30 minutes from 6:45 A. M. to 10:15 P. M. Sundays 8:45 A. M. to 10:15 P. M. Leave Golf Links every 30 minutes from 7:00 A. M. to 10:30 P. M. Sundays 9:00 A. M. to 10:30 P. M..

Note:—On days when base ball games are advertised this service will be suspended from 2:15 to 4:45 P. M.

Special Baseball Schedule.

On days when games are advertised cars will leave Junction for grounds every 10 minutes from 2:30 to 4:20 P. M. On these days beach trains leaving Junction at 2:30, 3:00, 3:30 and 4:00 P. M. will not stop at the Baseball Grounds.

City tickets and passes will be accepted for transportation on these cars. Seacoast passes good only on beach cars.

may 30-tf.

Clyde Steamship Company,

New York, Wilmington, N. C., and Georgetown, S. C. Lines

New York for Wilmington.
S. S. Carib.....h.....Friday, May 29t
S. S. Navahoe.....Friday, June 5th

Wilmington to New York.
S. S. Navahoe.....Saturday, May 30th
S. S. Carib.....Saturday, June 6th

Wilmington for Georgetown.
S. S. "Navahoe".....Monday, May 11th
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Both steamers have good passenger accommodations.

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General Offices, Pier 36 N.R. Brch. 290
may 24-tf.

SCHEDULE STEAMERS WILMINGTON AND SOUTHPORT.

Wilmington, Carolina Beach & Southport Line.

Steamer Wilmington leaves daily 9 A. M. except Saturday and Sunday. Steamer Wilmington leaves Southport 2:30 P. M. daily. Steamer Southport leaves Southport daily at 8 A. M. Steamer Southport leaves Wilmington daily 2 P. M. Steamer Wilmington leaves Southport Saturday 8 A. M. and 4:45 P. M. Leaving Wilmington 2 P. M. Steamer Wilmington leaves Sunday 9 A. M. and 2:30 P. M., touching at Carolina Beach. Steamer Wilmington leaves Southport Sunday 11:30 A. M. and 4:45 P. M., touching at Carolina Beach. Fare daily 50c. Sunday, 25c round trip.

Send all freight for Southport by 9 o'clock boat.

Commencing May 14th the Wilmington will stop at Carolina Beach on the down and up trip.

O. D. BURRISS,
apr 21 tf Captain.

GREAT FIREMEN'S TOURNAMENT
Wilmington, N. C.
JUNE 16-19 INCLUSIVE

Reel and Hook-and-ladder races and steamer contests daily. The thrilling scenic production of

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Each Night

The Atlantic Coast Line offers exceeding low rates on June 13th, 14th and 15th, and for morning trains of the 16th, with final limit June 22nd. For individuals and for Firemen and Brass Bands in parties of ten or more on one ticket.

This offers a chance to visit Wrightsville and Carolina Beaches, and enjoy a dip in the ocean. For any information, address,

T. C. WHITE,
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Passenger Traffic Manager,
Wilmington, N. C.
may 28-till-june-16.

SEABOARD

Air Line Railway.

Schedule effective April 12th, 1908, Subject to change without notice.

Direct and shortest line to the principal Cities, South and Southwest, also connects at Hamlet with Vestibule Trains North.

Tickets for passage for all trains are sold by this Company and accepted by the passenger with the understanding that this Company will not be responsible for failure to run its trains on schedule time or for any such delays as may be incident to their operation. Care is exercised to give correct time of connecting lines but this Company is not responsible for errors or omissions.

Trains Arrive at Wilmington as Follows

No. 44 at 12:45 A. M. from Charlotte, Hamlet and local Stations.

No. 40 arrives 12:50 P. M. from Charlotte, connecting at Hamlet with No. 38 from Birmingham and Atlanta, No. 33 from Norfolk and Raleigh, and all points North and South.

Trains Leave Wilmington as Follows

	No. 45	No. 53
Lv. Wilm't'n	4:50 A. M.	3:00 P. M.
Ar. Lumb't'n	7:26 A. M.	5:55 P. M.
Ar. Maxton	8:15 A. M.	6:49 P. M.
Ar. Hamlet	9:15 A. M.	7:50 P. M.
Lv. Hamlet	9:45 A. M.	8:25 P. M.
Ar. Monroe	11:40 A. M.	10:25 P. M.
Ar. Ch'lotte	12:35 P. M.	11:30 P. M.

No. 45 connects at Hamlet with No. 66 for Raleigh and Richmond and points north. At Monroe with No. 52 for Atlanta.

No. 39 connects at Hamlet with No 41 for Atlanta, Birmingham and Charlotte, with No. 84 for Washington and New York, No. 32 for Portsmouth-Norfolk and No. 42 for Columbia, Savannah and Jacksonville.

For time-tables and any information apply to your nearest Ticket Agent or call Phone No. 1296.

J. D. EDWARDS,
Union Ticket Agent.
F. A. FETTER.
Agent.
Phone 86, Wilmington, N. C.
C. P. GATTIS,
Traveling Passenger Agent.
Raleigh, N. C.

Atlantic Coast Line

Schedule in Effect May 1st, 1908.

NOTICE.

The arrivals and departures are given as information, as well as connections with other companies; but arrivals and connections are not guaranteed.

NORTHBOUND.

	48.	No. 41.
Lv Wilmington	8:40 am	7:00 pm
Ar. Goldsboro	12:03 pm	9:55 pm
Ar Rocky Mount	1:35 pm	11:40 pm
Ar. Weldon	4:55 pm	3:30 am
Ar Norfolk	6:05 pm	
Ar Wilson	1:00 m	10:52 pm
Ar. Petersburg	7:05 pm	5:27 am
Ar Richmond	8:00 pm	6:10 am
Ar Washington	11:50 pm	9:50 am
Ar Baltimore	1:41 am	11:20 am
Ar Philadelphia	4:21 am	1:41 pm
Ar New York	7:23 am	4:13 pm

SOUTHBOUND.

	No. 41.	No. 48.
Lv New York	9:25 am	9:25 pm
Ar Philadelphia	11:37 am	12:15 am
Ar Baltimore	2:12 pm	2:51 am
Ar Washington	3:45 pm	4:20 am
Lv Norfolk		8:25 am
Lv Richmond	7:25 pm	8:15 am
Ar Petersburg	8:05 pm	9:31 am
Ar Weldon	9:59 pm	11:28 am
Ar Rocky Mount	11:03 pm	12:55 pm
Ar Wilson	11:47 pm	1:58 pm
Ar Goldsboro	6:15 am	3:00 pm
Ar Wilmington	9:30 am	6:10 pm

BETWEEN WILMINGTON AND THE SOUTH.

SOUTHBOUND.

	Daily.	Daily.	Daily.
Lv. Wil't'n	5:15 am	3:35 pm	7:00 pm
Ar. Flor.	9:05 am	7:25 pm	4:30 am
Ar. Col'bia	12:26 pm	11:10 pm	
Ar. Ch'st'n	1:10 pm	11:15 pm	7:30 am
Ar. Sa'n	6:20 pm	2:10 am	9:54 am
Ar. Jk'ville		7 15 am	2:20 pm
Ar. Tampa		6:25 pm	11:00 pm

NORTHBOUND.

	Daily.	Daily.
Lv. Tampa	9:00 pm	10:25 am
Lv Jacksonville	9:10 am	7:45 pm
Ar Savannah	1:31 pm	11:59 pm
Lv. Charleston	5:52 pm	5:20 am
Lv. Columbia	4:30 pm	6:00 am
Ar. Florence	7:34 pm	8:55 am
Ar Wilmington	12:55 am	1:20 pm

BETWEEN WILMINGTON AND SANFORD.

	Westbound. Daily.	Eastbound. Daily.
Lv. Wilmington	8:20 am	Ar 8:15 pm
Lv. Fayetteville	11:45 pm	Ar 4:55 pm
Ar. Sanford	1:40 pm	Lv. 3:40 pm

BETWEEN WILMINGTON AND NEW BERN.

DAILY EXCEPT SUNDAY.

	Northbound.	Southbound.
Lv. Wilmington	3:20 pm	1:00 pm
Ar. Newbern	7:00 pm	Lv. 9:25 am

Trains No. 42 and 41 carry Pullman Sleeping Cars between Wilmington and Washington, connecting with Pennsylvania R. R., for all points east.

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COMMERCIAL

WILMINGTON MARKETS.

STAR OFFICE, May 29.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE—Market steady, 39 1-2 cents.

ROSIN—Market, steady, $2.45 per barrel of 280 pounds.

TAR—Market, firm at $1.60.

CRUDE TURPENTINE — Market firm $2.00 per barrel for hard, $2.80 for dip and $3.75 for virgin.

Quotations same day last year—spirits turpentine, nothing doing; rosin nothing doing; tar firm $2.30; crude turpentine $3.50, $4.75, $5.25.

RECEIPTS.

Spirits Turpentine	46
Rosin	118
Tar	19
Crude Turpentine	104

Receipts—Same day last year 60 casks spirits turpentine; 256 barrels rosin; 89 barrels tar; 48 barrels crude turpentine.

COTTON MARKET.

Market—Quiet, 11 3-8 cents for middling.

Same day last year—Steady 11 7-8 cents for middling.

Receipts—706 bales, same day last year 2 bales.

PRODUCE MARKET.

PEANUTS—North Carolina Prime 65c; extra prime 70c; fancy 75c per bushel of 28 lbs; Virginia—No. 1. 70c; fancy 75@80c; Spanish 75@85c.

CORN—Firm, 85c per bushed for white; 82 1-2@85 for mixed.

N. C. BACON—Steady; hams, new 13@14c; shoulders 11@12 1-2c; sides dull, 11@12 1-2c.

EGGS—Firm and in good demand at 15@16c.

CHICKENS—Dull at 20@30c for large springs; growns, firm, 35@42 1-2.

BEESWAX—Firm at 26c.

TALLOW—Firm at 4 1-2@5c per pound.

BEEF CATTLE—Dull at 2 to 4c per pound on foot.

HIDES—Dry flint, 8c; green 4c per pound.

SWEET POTATOES—Firm at 75@80c per bushel.

COW PEAS—$1.75@$1.80 per bushel white peas, dull at $2.50 per bushel.

WOOL—Free of burr, 15c; burry wool, 10 to 12 1-2c.

THE COTTON MARKET.

(By Wire to the Morning Star)

New York, May 29.—The cotton market was quiet today with fluctuations irregular and the close quiet, net six points lower to nine points higher; sales 175,000 bales.

The market opened steady at a decline of 11 points to advance of 4 points, old crop months being lower, owing to poor cables, while the new crop was relatively steady as a result of covering, notwithstanding favorable weather reports. Shortly after the call the active months sold 6 to 12 points net higher, but the market eased off under realizing and during the afternoon ruled dull and irregular with the close 3 to 6 points net lower on the old crop, and 7 to 9 points higher on the new. Three private condition reports were issued during the day. One showed an increase of 1.9 per cent in acreage and a condition of 79, another an increase of 2.6 per cent in acreage and a condition of 81.2, the third showed an increase of 2.9 per cent. in acreage and a condition of 81.8. So far six reports have been issued by local authorities showing on the average an increase of 1-2 per cent in acreage and a condition of 80.1. Another report is expected on Monday. The government reprt on acreage and condition will be issued at noon on Tuesday. The local market will be closed tomorrow while New Orleans and Liverpool will remain open.

Receipts today 10,014 bales against 9,465 last week and 9,695 last year. For the week 50,000 against 53,229 last week and 55,229 last year. Today's receipts at New Orleans 1,609 against 4,418 last year and at Houston 1,303 against 901 last year.

Spot closed quiet; middling uplands 11.40; middling gulf 11.65. Futures opened steady and closed quiet.

Month	Open.	Close.
June	10.07	10.15
July	10.08	10.25
August	10.02	10.02
September	9.37	9.50
October	9.23	9.32
November	9.10	9.16
December	9.09	9.13
January	9.05	9.11
February	——	9.10
March	9.03	9.08

COTTON RECEIPTS.

(By Wire to the Morning Star)

New York, May 29.—The following are the total net receipts of cotton at all ports since September 1st:

Galveston	2,360,089
New Orleans	1,882,485
Mobile	314,975
Savannah	1,458,694
Charleston	194,378
Wilmington	488,017
Norfolk	515,583
Baltimore	76,631
New York	3,658
Boston	12,641
Newport News	2,516
Philadelphia	9,295
San Francisco	48,622
Brunswick	195,337
Port Townsend	100,356
Pensacola	161,616
Portland, Ore.	1,050
Port Arthur & Sabine Pass	108,500
Jacksonville	8,370
Eagle Pass, Texas	208
El Paso, Texas	250
Laredo, Texas	662
Minor Ports	6,614
Total	7,950,547

Comparative Cotton Statement.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

New York, May 29.—For the week ending Friday, May 28.

Net receipts at all U. S. ports during week 64,294.

Net receipts at all U. S. ports same week last year 53,249.

Total receipts since September 1st year 9,640,900.

Total receipts to same date last year 50,288.

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Exports for the week 42,856.

Exports for same week last year 50,288.

Total since September 1st 6,836,554.

Total exports same date last year 7,986,822.

Stock at all United States ports 369,575.

Stock at all United States ports same time last year 483,529.

Stock at all interior towns 277,059.

Stock at all interior towns, same time last year 274,962.

Stock at Liverpool same time last year 1,222,000.

Stock of American afloat for Great Britain same time last year 65,000.

PORT MOVEMENT.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Galveston—Firm 11 3-4; net receipts 2, 116.

New Orleans—Steady, 11 1-2; net receipts 1,609.

Mobile—Steady, 11c; net receipts 232.

Savannah—Quiet, 11 3-8; net receipts 2,266.

Charleston—Firm, 11 1-4; net receipts 121.

Wilmington—Steady, 11 3-8; net receipts 706.

Norfolk—Firm, 11 5-8; net receipts 782.

Baltimore—Nominal, 11 3-4; net receipts 1,580.

New York—Quiet, 11.40.

Boston—Quiet, 11.40; net receipts 157.

Philadelphia—Quiet, 11.56; net receipts 50.

Brunswick—Net receipts 395.

Total today at all ports, Net—10,014; Great Britain 2,800; Continent 6,976; Stock 369,575.

Consolidated, at all ports, Net—64,294; Great Britain 20,764; France 9,450; Continent 12,134; Japan 458.

Total since Sept. 1, at all ports, Net—7,950,547; Great Britain 20,764; France 806,285; Continent 3,112,961; Japan 188,670; Mexico 1,549.

INTERIOR MOVEMENT.

Houston—Steady, 11 5-8; net receipts 1,303.

Augusta—Firm, 11 3-4; net receipts 118.

Memphis—Steady, 11 5-8; net receipts 677.

St. Louis—Steady, 11 1-2; net receipts 6.

Cincinnati—Net receipts 161.

Louisville—Firm, 11 3-4; net receipts 95.

Little Rock—Steady, 11; net receipts 265.

Total today—Net receipts 2,625; gross receipts 5,102; shipments 8,434; sales 2,675; stock 179,204.

LIVERPOOL MARKET.

(By Cable to the Morning Star.)

Liverpool, May 29.—Cotton: Spot quiet, prices 3 points higher. American middling fair 6.96; good middling 6.80; middling 6.22; low middling 6.14; good ordinary 5.56;; ordinary 5.18.

Sales 8,000 bales of which 400 were for speculation and export and included 7,100 American. Receipts 1,100 no American.

Opened easier and closed quiet. American middling G. O. C.: May 595 1-2; May and June 590 1-2; June and July 594 1-2; July and August 557 1-2; August and September 554 1-2; September and October 525; October and November 512 1-2; November and December 505; December and January 501; January and February 498; February and March 498; March and April 598.

DRY GOODS MARKET.

New York, May 29.—A large business is passing in prints, ginghams, denims, tickings, sheetings and other cotton goods. Jobbers and selling agents were active during the day. Cotton yarns are firmer and a slight increase in the demand is noted. Raw wool is firmer and larger sales have been made in this market. Woolen goods and men's wear worsted are moving freely.

WEEK-END DANCE TONIGHT.

Week-end dance at Lumina tonight. **

NEW YORK STOCK MARKET.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

New York, May 29.—The stock market today was of the usual pre-holiday character, largely confined, that is, to closing up of outstanding contracts and showing little disposition to make new commitments. The prevailing speculative temper on the stock exchange was to be inferred from the fact that most of these outstanding commitments were on the short side of the market. The general hardening of prices during the day was due more to that fact than to any new phase in conditions. The feature of the stock market was the aggressive strength of the two Hill railroad stocks. The narrow market was almost wholly made up of such special movements due to individual causes. The fact that no gold was taken for export tomorrow was not assumed to indicate the end of the movement but was associated rather with the question of convenience of steamship transportation. More gold is expected to go to Germany next week.

Although the bank statement was not published until after the close of the local market, the undiminished ease of money left no apprehension over the complexion of the showing to be made. The sharp break in the grain markts was held to show that the week's level of prices has been held at an artificial height by sympathy with the corner operations for the May delivery. There was some very heavy buying of stocks just at the close especially of United States Steel. The bank statement showed fully the expected decrease in cash holdings on account of the gold exports and government withdrawals.

Bonds were irregular. Total sales par value $2,334,000. United States 2s registered and the 4s have advanced 1-4 and the 4s registered 1-4 on call for the week. Total sales today 466,100 shares.

FINANCIAL MARKET.

(By Wire to the Morning Star)

New York, May 28.—Money on call easy 1 1-2 @ 1 3-4 ruling rate 1 3-4 closing bid——; offered at 1 1-2. Time loans dull and steady; sixty days 2 1-2 per cent and ninety days 2 3-4, six months 3 1-2 to 3 3-4 per cent.

Close: Prime mercantile paper 3 1-2 @ 4per cent., sterling exchange steady with actual business in bankers bills at 4.8710 @ 4.8720 for demand, and at 4.8540 @ 4.8550 for sixty day bills. Commercial bills 4.85. Bar silver 53. Mexican dolars 47.

New York Bonds.

U. S. refunding 2s reg	103 1-2
U. S. refunding 2s cou	103 3-4
U. S. 3s reg	101
U. S. 3s cou	101
U. S. new 4s reg	120 1-2
U. S. new 4s cou	122
American Tobacco Co. 6s	105 1-8
Atlantic Coast Line	92 3-4
Baltimore & Ohio 4s	98 1-2
L. & N. Unified 4s	98 1-2
Seaboard Air Line b	50
Southern Railway 5s b	100
U. S. Steel 5s	96

Closing Stock List.

Amalgamated Copper	64 3-4
American Car & Foundry	35 1-2
Amr. Car & Foundry pfd	96 1-2
American Cotton Oil Co	30
Amr. Cotton Oil Co. pfd	80
Amr. Locomotive	48 1-4
Amr. Smelting & Ref	73 1-2
Amr. Smelting & Ref pfd	94 3-4
Amr. Sugar Refining	128
Amr. Tobacco pfd cert	90
Atchison	80
Atchison pfd	91
Atlantic Coast Line	88
Baltimore & Ohio	88
Baltimore & Ohio pfd	84
Chesapeake & Ohio	44
Erie	21 1-2
Erie 1st pfd	38 1-4
Erie 2nd pfd	27 1-2
Kansas City Southern	23 1-2
Kansas City Southern pfd	55
L. & N.	105
New York Central	102 1-4
Norfolk & Western ex di	67 5-8
Norfolk & Western pfd	70
Pennsylvania	119
People's Gas	91
Reading	111 1-2
Reading 2nd pfd	83
Rock Island Co	16 7-8
Rock Island Co. pfd	34 1-2
Standard Oil	596
Southern Pacific	84 1-4
Southern Pacific pfd	118 1-2
Southern Railway	16 3-4
Southern Railway pfd	42 1-4
Tenn., Coal & Iron	——
U. S. Steel	37
U. S. Steel pfd	101 3-8
Va.-Car. Chemical	23
Va.-Car. Chemical pfd	97 1-2
Seaboard Air Line	——
Seaboard Air Line pfd	——
Western Union	56 3-4

NEW YORK PRODUCE MARKET.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

New York, May 29.—Flour dull and barely steady.

Rye Flour and Corn Meal—Steady.

Wheat—Easy, No. 2 red 1.02 nominal elevator. Options 7-8c lower. May 1.03 1-2; July 98 3-4; September 94 7-8.

Corn—Easy; No. 2, 98 elevator. Options 1-2 to 5-8c lower. May 80; July 75; September 74 1-4.

Oats—Steady; mixed 54.

Lard and Molasses—Firm.

Pork—Steady.

Tallow—Quiet.

Rice—Firm; domestic fair to extra 3 5-8 to 4 1-2.

Sugar—Raw firm; fair refining 3.58; centrifugal 96 test 4.39.

Coffee—Quiet; Rio No. 7, 6 3-8; Santos No. 4, 8 3-4. Mild, quiet; Cordova 9 3-4 to 12 3-4. Futures net unchanged.

Butter—Unchanged.

Cheese and Egs—Quiet, unchanged.

Freights and Peanuts—Unchanged.

Potatoes and Cabbages—Steady, unchanged.

Cotton Seed Oil—Dull and about steady; prime crude 38 1-2 nominal; prime summer yellow 47 1-2; off summer yellow 42 1-2 to 45 1-2; good off summer yellow 43 to 46; prime white 48 to 58; prime winter yellow 48 to 49 3-8.

CHICAGO PRODUCE MARKET.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Chicago, May 29.—Violent fluctuations in the price of May delivery of wheat, corn and oats marked trading on the local exchange. May wheat and corn each sold over a range of 5c and May oats over a range of 4 7-8. With the exception of May wheat the final quotations on which were up 1 1-2c, the market closed weak. May corn being off 2 to 2 1-2c and oats 3 5-8c lower. July wheat closed 3-8 to 1-2c lower. Corn a shade lower and oats were down 3-4c, provisions unchanged to 2 1-2c higher.

Leading futures were as follows:

	Open.	Highest.	Close.
Wheat.			
May	1 09 1-2	1 11	1 10 1-2
July	90 5-8	90 5-8	90 1-8
Sept	88 1-8	88 1-8	87 3-8
Corn.			
May	82	82 1-2	80 1-2
July	67 3-8	67 3-4	67 3-8
Sept	65 1-2	65 7-8	65 1-2
Oats.			
May ol	56 3-8	56 3-8	52 3-4
May ne	55	55	52 3-4
July ol	47 3-8	47 3-8	46 3-4
July ne	45 1-4	45 1-4	45 1-4
Sept	38 1-4	38 1-4	37 3-4
Mess Pork, per bbl.			
July	13 65	13 80	13 70
Sept	13 90	14 07	13 97
Lard, per 100 lbs.			
July	8 45	8 57	8 52
Sept	8 65	8 75	8 70
Short Ribs, per 100 lbs.			
July	7 35	7 45	7 37 1-2
Sept	7 60	7 70	7 62 1-2

Cash quotations were as follows: Flour, easy. No. 3 spring wheat 92 to 1.05; No. 2 red 1.09. No. 2 corn 77 1-2 to 82; No. 2 yellow 77 1-2 to 82. No. 2 oats 52 3-4; No. 3 white 51 to 53 1-4. Fair to choice malting 63 to 67. Short Ribs, sides (loose) 6.87 1-2 to 7.37 1-2. Mess Pork, per 100 lbs. 13.70 to 13.75. Lard, per 100 lbs. 8.42 1-2. Short Clear Sides (boxed) 7.50 to 7.62 1-2. Whiskey, basis of high wines 1.35.

NAVAL STORES.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

New York, May 29.—Rosin steady, turpentine easy at 44c.

Savannah, May 29.—Turpentine steady, 40 1-2c; sales 1,915; receipts 1,156; shipments 799. Rosin firm; sales 3,865; receipts 4,111; shipments 5,290; stock 75,309. Quote: A B C, 2.70 to 2.75; D, 2.85; E, 3.10; F, 3.15; G, 3.20; H, 3.75; I, 4.75; K, 5.75; M, 6.00; N, 6.10; WG, 6.20; WW, 6.25.

Charleston, May 29.—Turpentine quiet, 40c; sales none; Rosin quiet; sales none; Quote: A B C, 2.60 to 2.70; D, 2.70 to 2.75; E, 2.95.

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Receipts of Naval Stores and Cotton Yesterday.

Wilmington, N. C., May 29, 1908.

C. C. Railroad—7 barrels crude turpentine.

W. & W. Railroad—128 bales cotton; 4 casks spirits turpentine; 17 barrels crude turpentine.

W., C. & A. Railroad—393 bales cotton; 2 casks spirits turpentine; 4 barrels tar; 34 barrels crude turpentine.

A. & Y. Railroad—135 bales cotton; 21 casks spirits turpentine; 8 barrels rosin; 3 barrels tar.

W. & N. Railroad—50 bales cotton; 4 casks spirits turpentine; 16 barrels rosin; 34 barrels crude turpentine.

Str. Whitlock—15 casks spirits turpentine; 94 barrels rosin; 12 barrels tar; 12 barrels crude turpentine.

Total—706 bales cotton; 46 casks spirits turpentine; 118 barrels rosin; 19 barrels tar; 104 barrels crude turpentine.

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Senate Hung Up on the Currency Bill —Senator LaFollette Trying to Talk it to Death—No Democratic Support.

(By Wire to the Morning Star)

Washington, May 29.—It has been a long time since the Senate has been tied up by a filibuster with such slender support as was in evidence today when Senator LaFollette undertook to defeat the conference repor on the Aldrich-Vreeland Bill by talking it to death. The report being brought up shortly after 1 o'clock Mr. LaFollette took the floor. He insisted that a quorum should be maintained at all times and up to 6 o'clock he had demanded twenty roll calls. He was thus able to obtain more or less elaxation and at the same time keep the supporters of the bill in their seats. The heat was excessive and many were very restless under this restraint. It soon became evident that the Republicans would have difficulty in maintaining the presence of a majority and it was just as apparent that proceedings would be suspended whenever the necessary forty-seven Senators were not present.

Mr. LaFollette complained of his recent illness and during much of the day leaned strongly upon the arm of his chair half sitting as he talked. He engaged Mr. Aldrich in a colloquy concerning the provisions of the currency bill and, later declaring that the chairman of the financial committee had not been "frank" in his replies, he was called to order and only after a vote of the Senate had restored him to his right to the floor did he continue his remarks. All Senators except Mr. Foraker, voted to permit him to continue.

Shortly before 6 o'clock Mr. LaFollette inquired whether a proposition would be agreed to to stike out railroad bonds and stocks from the list of securities contemplated in the conference agreement, but Mr. Aldrich declined the offer, saying the adoption of the report was the only question before the Senate and adding that so far as he was concerned he had neither power nor disposition to make the concession suggested. Mr. Aldrich declared that the report would remain before the Senate until March 4, 1909 if necessary.

During the late afternoon all absent Republican Senators were notified to be present on the ground of "necessity," the important problem being that of keeping a quorum present until the filibuster shall wear itself out.

Mr. LaFollette threatened during the day to keep the Senate in session three weeks, but th support h will get in order to continue his tactics when at the end of his physical endurance is yet to be seen. It was understood that Senator Stone, who was opposed to the bill, would give active support to the filibuster, and Senator Gore manifested some sympathy at times. As a body, however, the Democrats were as positively opposed to the obstruction as were the Republicans.

At 11:15 P. M. Mr. LaFollette showed no signs of fatigue. Several times he became earnest and taxed his voice more than usual and it was thought from that fact that he had relief in sight. It was learned that Senator Stone, who had gone to his hotel earlier in the evening had left word that he was to be called before midnight. There were all kinds of rumors circulating, including one that Senator Jeffries Davis had telegraphed Senator LaFollette that he was comnig and to hold out until he reached Washington. This could not be confirmed. It was also said that several Democrats had received dispatches from Mr. Bryan, urging them to join in the filibuster, but this story was not generally credited, as it met with vehement denials. Several Republican Senators who had been telegraphed to return to Washington responded saying they would be here tomorrow. Republican leaders say they will have a quorum from their own membership tomorrow and that they will not be defeated by a one or two man filibuster if they have to keep Congress in session indefinitely. In this resolution they have the sympathy of Speaker Cannon who was a frequent visitor to the Senate wing of the Capitol, and who expressed himself privately in vigorous terms concerning the proceedings.

Senator Stone left the Senate chamber just an hour after midnight taking his papers and documents with him. His interpretation of the rules preventing Mr. LaFollette from again getting the floor if he should give it up disinclined him to surrender to Mr. Stone, who apparently grew tired of waiting. He would not agree, it is said, to speak for a given number of hours and the Wisconsin Senator evidently feared to give up the floor until the arrival of Senator Jeffries Davis, of Arkansas. The rumor that he would be here in a few hours has been confirmed by a telegram received at midnight.

At 1:30 o'clock Mr. LaFollette let it be known that he intended to speak until 8 or 9 o'clock.

House of Representatives.

The situation in the Senate on the currency question, combined with the oppressiveness of the heat and indisposition to do further business caused the House at 3:30 o'clock today to take a recess until 7 o'clock tonight. With the greatest difficulty a quorum was maintained, a large number of members already having left for their homes. A bill was passed providing for the making of allotments on the Fort Peck Indian Reservation, Montana, and a lot of miscellaneous business was transacted, being mostly disagreements to Senate amendments to minor bills. Up to the time of taking the recess the Democrats had forced five roll calls.

But eighteen members were in their seats when the House re-convened. After an hour's wait for a quorum to appear, during which time all the resources of the sergeant-at-arms were employed, the House at 7:55 P. M., on a motion of Mr. Payne took a recess until 11 A. M. tomorrow.

DEATH ON AUTO TRACK

Emanuel Cedrino, Famous Italian Autoist, Instantly Killed While Practicing for Races in Baltimore Today.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Baltimore, May 29.—Emanuel Cedrino, the noted Italian automobile driver, was instantly killed on Pimlico race track this evening. He had been preparing for races in which he was to have taken part tomorrow and was making some very fast miles. One mile had just been finished in 51 seconds and he had passed the grand stand and rounded the first corner of the track when spectators saw his car shoot into the air and turn an irregular somersault, landing on the track upside down.

Those who rushed to the spot found Cedrino stretched upon his back, dead, with a horrible gash in the back of his head and portions of his brains scattered about. He was some distance from the car, from which he had apparently been thrown as it went over, and it is supposed that his head struck the fence. Dr. Herbert Schoenrech, who was watching the practice spins of the entrants in tomorrow's races, reached Cedrino's side almost before the dust of the accident had cleared away. He found that the occipital bone had been torn out entirely and that a large portion of the brain was also missing. This was found in pieces on the track nearby. The accident appears to have been caused by the collapse of the front wheel on the right hand side of the car. It was a wooden wheel and small fragments of it were all that could be found after the accident. The tire was found practically intact. The machine was totally wrecked.

Cedrino arrived here yesterday and had expressed himself as sure to break the records from one to 25 miles Early in the afternoon he went a mile in 56 seconds. When he brought out his car for his final work for the day he said to the prompter of the races, that he liked the track and particularly the turns and that he would make a mile in 50 seconds. He made three or four circuits of the track, each faster than the preceding one, and at the time of the accident was probably going at the rate of a mile in 50 seconds.

The car, which is now fit only for the scrap heap, was the one in which he has made all of his records and was designed by Cedrino himself in 1906. He stated recently that it had been run 3,000 miles without material repairs, and it is supposed that the wheel that failed had suffered by this use more than was apparent. It is known that the engine was in perfect condition when the car was brought on the track for the last time.

E. Cedrino was an Italian and for a number of years before he made his debut in the United States as an expert driver in automobile races was chaffeur to Queen Helen, of Italy. His first entry in this country in a competitive event was in Eagle Rock Hill climb in 1904. On August 22, 1905 he made a new world's track record of 53 minutes 14 2-5 seconds for fifty miles at Long Branch.

WEEKLY BANK STATEMENT.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

New York, May 29.—The statement of clearing house banks for the week (five days) shows that the banks hold $47,910,000 more than the requirements of the 25 per cent. reserve rule. This is a decrease of $8,575,375 in the proportionate cash reserve as compared with last week.

The statement follows: Loans $1,215,118,500, decrease $3,929,400; Deposits $1,285,788,800, decrease $11,134,500; Circulation $57,150,400, decrease $116,800; Legal tenders $70,625,400, increase $1,966,800; Specie $298,729,800, decrease $13,325,600; Reserves $369,357,200, decrease $11,359,000; Reserve required $321,447,200, decrease $2,783,725; Surplus $74,710,000, decrease $8,675,375; Ex-U. S. deposits $52,874,375, decrease $11,279,325.

The percentage of actual reserve of the clearing house banks at the close of business yesterday was 28.58. The statement of banks and trust companies of Greater New York not members of the clearing house show that the institutions have aggregate deposits of $921,000,600; total cash on hand $64,384,000 and loans amounting to 086,760,000.

THE RACE HORSE COLIN.

Condition Not so Bad as Supposed—Likely to Race Today.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

New York, May 29.—The great 3-year-old racer Colin, who was reported to have broken down while exercising yesterday, may race in the Belmont stakes tomorrow. Announcement was made tonight by Decourcey Forbes, manager of the stables of James R. Keene, that the injury to Colin, which at first was thought to be a bowing of the tendons of the forelegs, is nothing more than an injury resulting from stepping on a stone and that the swelling has now practically subsided. Mr. Forbes stated tonight that Colin's tendons are perfectly straight.

A NEW SENSATION IN COTTON MARKET

Theodore H. Price and Others Indicted in Washington and New York.

COTTON REPORT LEAKAGE

Price and Associates Charged With Conspiracy to Secure Advance Information From the Government—Statement.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Washington, May 29.—Almost simultaneously in Washington and New York indictments were today returned against Theodore H. Price a prominent New York cotton operator, Frederick A. Peckman and Moses Haas, Both of New York, and Edwin S. Holmes, Jr., of this city, formerly assistant statistician of the Department of Agriculture, for alleged participation in Government crop report leaks. Price is charged with having conspired with the other three men to furnish advance information regarding the crop reports of the Department of Agriculture and Price, Peckham and Haas are charged with conspiring to bribe Holmes to shape the official reports to suit their interests. There were four indictments brought by the fedral grand juries in both cities. All but Price have heretofore been indicted under true bills returned here in October, 1905, following the sensational exposure of the crop report leaks. After a long legal fight, Peckman and Haas succeeded in preventing their extradition here from New York, but Holmes was placed on trial in June, 1907, the jury reporting a disagreement. Holmes has not been retried.

The indictments were returned here late today. According to one of thm Price made $750,000, as a result of his advance information regarding the report for December, 1904, and was paid Haas $125,000. While not stating how much Holmes received as his share, the indictment charges that Haas paid Holmes $1,000 for information on the June report of 1905. The indictment, which sets out seven avert acts says that on May 31, 1905 Price and Haas conspired by promising, offering and giving to an official of the United States a sum of money to induce Holmes, in violation of his duty, to furnish such advance information. It recites the conference in New York on May 31 between Price and Haas, notwithstanding that Haas came to Washington, met Holmes and promised to pay Holmes for advance information; that on June 1 and 2, 1905, Haas received such information from Holmes, and it was conveyed to Price and that on June 2, Haas paid Holmes $1,000.

The second count of the indictment says Haas and Price conspired to bribe Holmes to arrange the June report so as to show a greater cotton crop than the information in the statistician's office justified.

The other indictments charge the three New York men in eight counts with bribing Holmes for the information and with conspiracy to shape the report as mentioned; charge Holmes, Peckham and Haas with conspiracy to defraud the Government by getting information in advance; and the fourth indictment charges Peckham and Haas only with conspiracy to bribe Holmes to give out advance information.

New York, May 29.—Theodore H. Price, at one time known as the "Cotton King" because of his tremendous trades in the staple, and more recently president of the Eagle Fire Insurance Company, was indicted today by the federal grand jury after a long investigation after a startling leak of the cotton crop statistics contained in a Government report which had not been made public. The grand jury found two indictments against Price, one charging conspiracy to commit an offense against the United States and the other bribery of a government official. Three other persons were indicted with Price and warrants have been issued for their arrest as they are out of the jurisdiction of the Federal Court of this district.

With the handing down of the indictments Mr. Price, who had apparently anticipated the action taken against him, appeared at the Federal Building and surrendered himself. He was arrainged before Judge Hough and pleaded not guilty. Bail was fixed at $5,000 which was furnished, and Mr. Price was released after the court had set June 19 as the date for the preliminary hearing.

Mr. Price in a statement made public after his arraignment, asserted that he was entirely innocent of the charges. The statement follows:

"Mr. Theodore H. Price made the following statement in regard to the indictment handed down in the so-called "cotton leak" case. He said that while an indictment was of course an exceedingly disagreeable experience to undergo, it was an accusation and not a proof, and he is aware that the Government has considered it necessary to take this action before the matter became outlawed on June 3, or thereabout. He feels no doubt whatever of the issue.

"The original 'cotton leak' charges made some three years ago were based on the statement of VanRiper, the bucket-shop operator and a self confessed participant and beneficiency with others, of the alleged 'cotton leak' and who conducted his account with Messrs. Hubbard Brothers & Co. and not with Mr. Price.

"Mr Price said that ever since he brought an injunction suit against the New York cotton exchange, a year ago, and then the present dominant ring in the exchange, are his declared enemies, have moved every influencethey could command to injure and cripple him, and fostered the present craze for indictments and especially indictments of Wall street men. Mr. Price says that he is the objective point of attack of one of the most bitter trade wars ever prevailing in this country, but that he proposes to leave no stone unturned to vindicate his good name and disconcert his enemies.

"Mr. Price says that when the 'cotton leak' case first became public he emphatically asserted his innocence of the charges made in the indictment or of any kindred offence, and he now repeats his statement which he trusts his friends will accept pending a decision of the issues."

While Mr. Price's career has lacked the sensational features which marked Mr. Sully's brief tenure of the "cotton throne" he has been generally considered the most prominent operator on the New York cotton exchange since the days of John Inman. He first attracted international attention as a member of the firm of Price, McCormack and Company which failed on May 24, 1900. The firm failed for about $13,000,000 but Mr. Price at once set about rehabilitating his fortunes and succeeded so well that during the past three or four years he has paid off his individual portion of the firm's remaining indebtedness, amounting to over $1,000,000 notwithstanding the fact that the claims had been through bankrupty and moreoverover had been outlawed. It is said no one in the cotton business has ever spent so much time and money in securing information from the South concerning the progress of the crops during the growing season and the attitude of interior holders. During his career he has conducted many successful campaigns in cotton and at times he has been credited with very large winnings.

DUN'S WEEKLY REVIEW.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

New York, May 29.—R. G. Dun & Co's. weekly Review of Trade tomorrow will say:

Industrial conditions continue to improve and arrangements have been made for the resumption of many plants next week, while retail trade is increased by seasonable weather. There is still a degree of conservatism regarding plans for forward deliveries, but sentiment is definitely better and progress is in the right direction, although slow. Mercantile collections are more prompt and money rates are low, despite exports of $40,000,000 in gold and treasury withdrawals of $45,000,000.

More interest is shown in dry goods markets and cotton mills are steadily increasing the percentage of active machinery. Prices are firmly held and it is expected that as demand broadens there will be much pressure for goods because the extensive curtailment has elimited supplies usually available to meet urgent orders. There is still a disinclination to buy for future needs, both by jobber and retailer, making a much stronger statistical position than has existed during recent preceeding years when goods were sold for a long period. More inquiries from China stiffened export prices which are held above the views of foreign purchasers. It is evident that the woolen goods season will open very late, reports from clothiers and salesmen indicating slow distribution.

Hester's Cotton Report.

(By Wire to the Morning Star)

New Orleans, May 29.—Secretary Hester's statement of the world's visible supply of cotton issued today show the total visible to be 3,256,537 against 3,365,404 last week and 4,181,095 last year. Of this the total of American cotton is 2,125,661 against 2,259,528 last week and 2,812,095 last year and all other kinds, including Egypt, Brazil ,India, etc., 1,130,876 against 1,105,876 last week and 1,369,000 last year. Of the world's visible supply of cotton there is now afloat and held in Great Britain and continental Europe 1,879,000 against 2,509,000 last year; in Egypt 163,000 against 119,000 last year; in India 574,000 against 778,000 last year and in the United States 641,000 against 766,000 last year.

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The Grand Opening Ball at the Atlantic Hotel, Morehead City, N. C., will be given on Saturday Night, June 6th, 1908.

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